





PUBLIC Trust

Something is amiss in the fields of professional practice. The designation of professional should be a badge of honour. Historically, the term has signified respect. Yet professionals today are too readily discounted and disparaged.

Why so? Truth is that professionalism is increasingly linked to mercantilism. Members of worthy professions find themselves too compromised by market-place pressures. The result is erosion of confidence in professional behavior.

At this prelude to a new century, it is ironic that professionals, the guardians of an open society, are widely discredited. Happily, as you graduate, you will be exemplars of a public trust through design integrity. You are well-placed to uphold your professional calling's honourable repute.

Unitigated commercialism will be a constant temptation. In an earlier age, our founder was a model of moral conduct. By doing good, Peter Cooper prospered. In your future achievements, you will demonstrate that trustworthy conduct comes first. In that endeavor, you will also dowell.

We salute you for your enriching contributions and notable accomplishments at Cooper Union. As graduates, you shall surely be creative standard-bearers for professional performance.



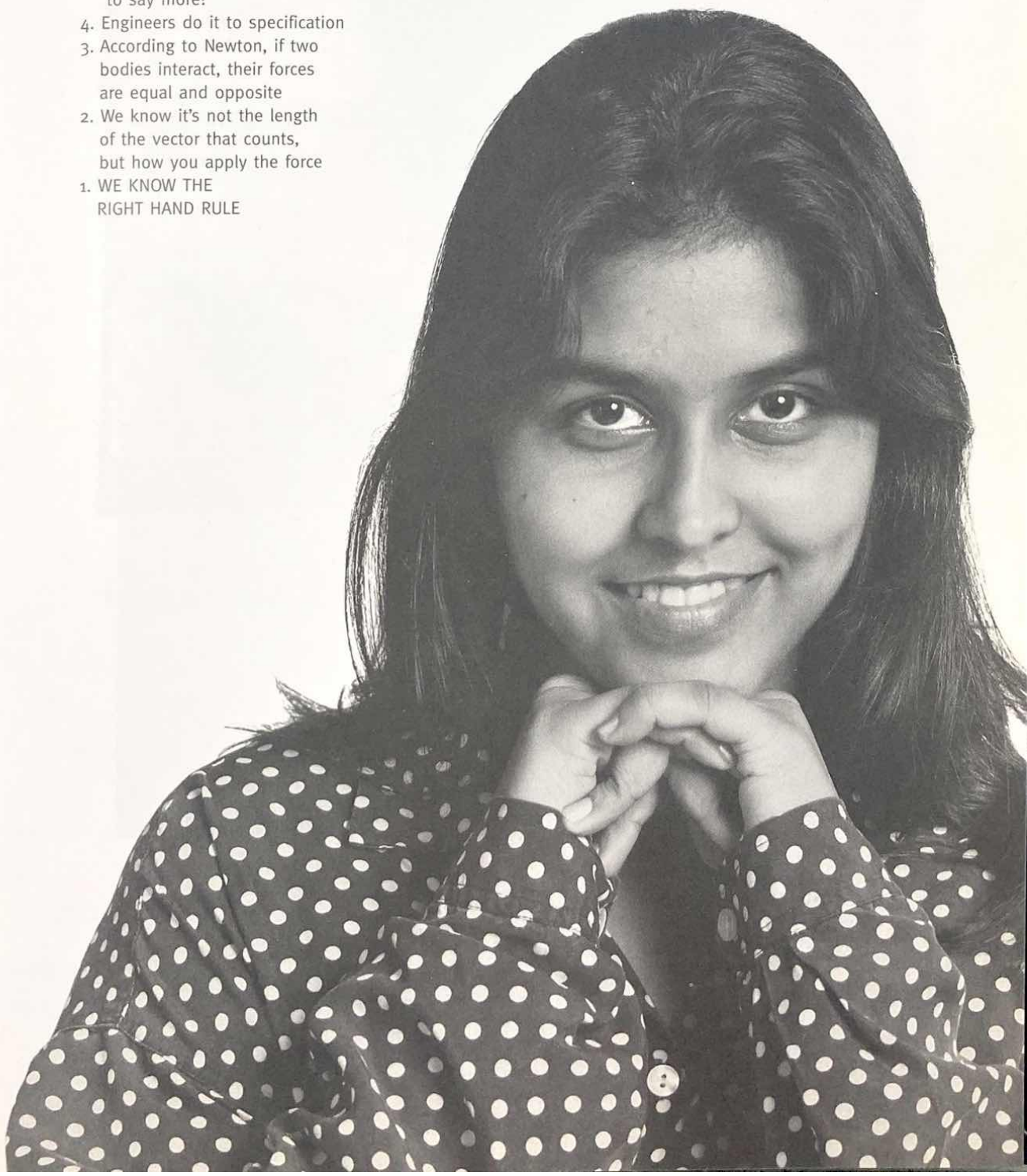
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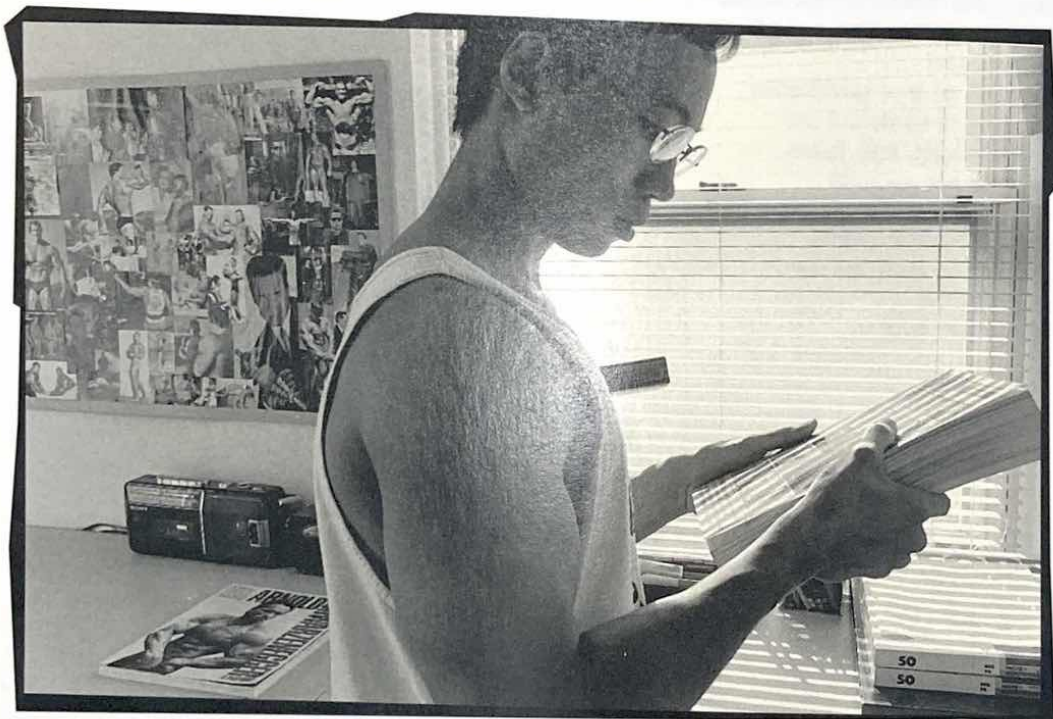
COOPER COLLECTION

Nausheen Ahamadi

TEN TOP REASONS TO DATE AN ENGINEER

10. The world does revolve around us...
we choose the coordinate system
9. No "couple" enjoy a better "moment"
8. We know how to handle stress and
strain in relationships
7. We have significant figures
6. EK301: The motion of rigid bodies
5. Projectile motion: Do we need
to say more?
4. Engineers do it to specification
3. According to Newton, if two
bodies interact, their forces
are equal and opposite
2. We know it's not the length
of the vector that counts,
but how you apply the force
1. WE KNOW THE
RIGHT HAND RULE





Kittipong Amaritnant



Y V E T T E
Amstelveen

Mom, dad, Raul, Onica, and Ricardo--I love you.
Thank you to my friends who encouraged and guided
me through my years at Cooper Union.

"[I] have escaped like a bird
from the fowler's snare;
the snare has been broken,
and [I] have escaped.
[My] help is in the name of the Lord,
the Maker of heaven and earth."

PSALM 124:7-8
NIV BIBLE

Jesse S. APPEL

"When bodies with very smooth surfaces are brought into intimate contact, adhesive or cohesive forces come into action and hold the bodies tightly together."

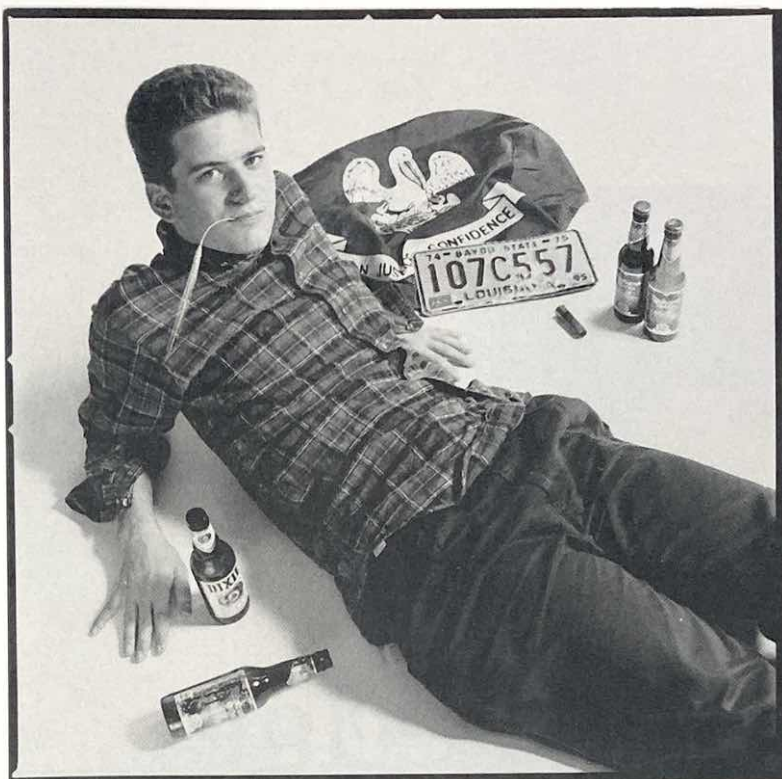
PG. 415

"Back and forth rotation of the shaft through small angles can cause early failure of bearing unless the load is very light."

PG. 435

DESIGN OF MACHINE ELEMENTS,
M.F. SPOTTS





ERICH Arcement

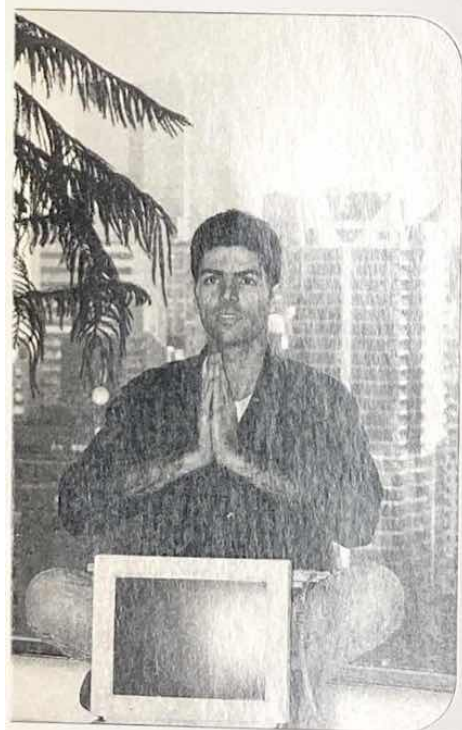
I wrote this in 5th Grade:

If I die young
 Or if I die old,
 I'll still be alive, wherever I go.
 I'll roam the streets
 Searching and searching,
 Finding the things
 That always are lurking.
 Roaming around
 Free as can be.
 Looking and looking
 As far as far can be.
 I'll always be alive.

Thanks to: The friends
 (you should know who you are)
 that made Cooper bearable and fun
 JPL!

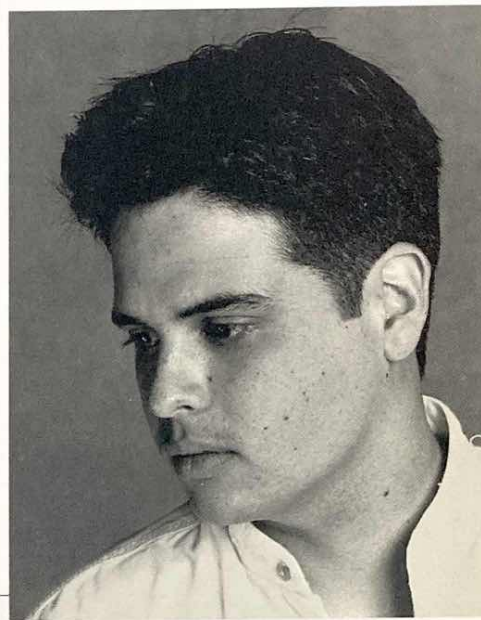
The Arcement Clan - Cajun, Jew and Mutt

Knowledge Understanding



RAM Avni

Spencer
BALDWIN





Matthew Barboni

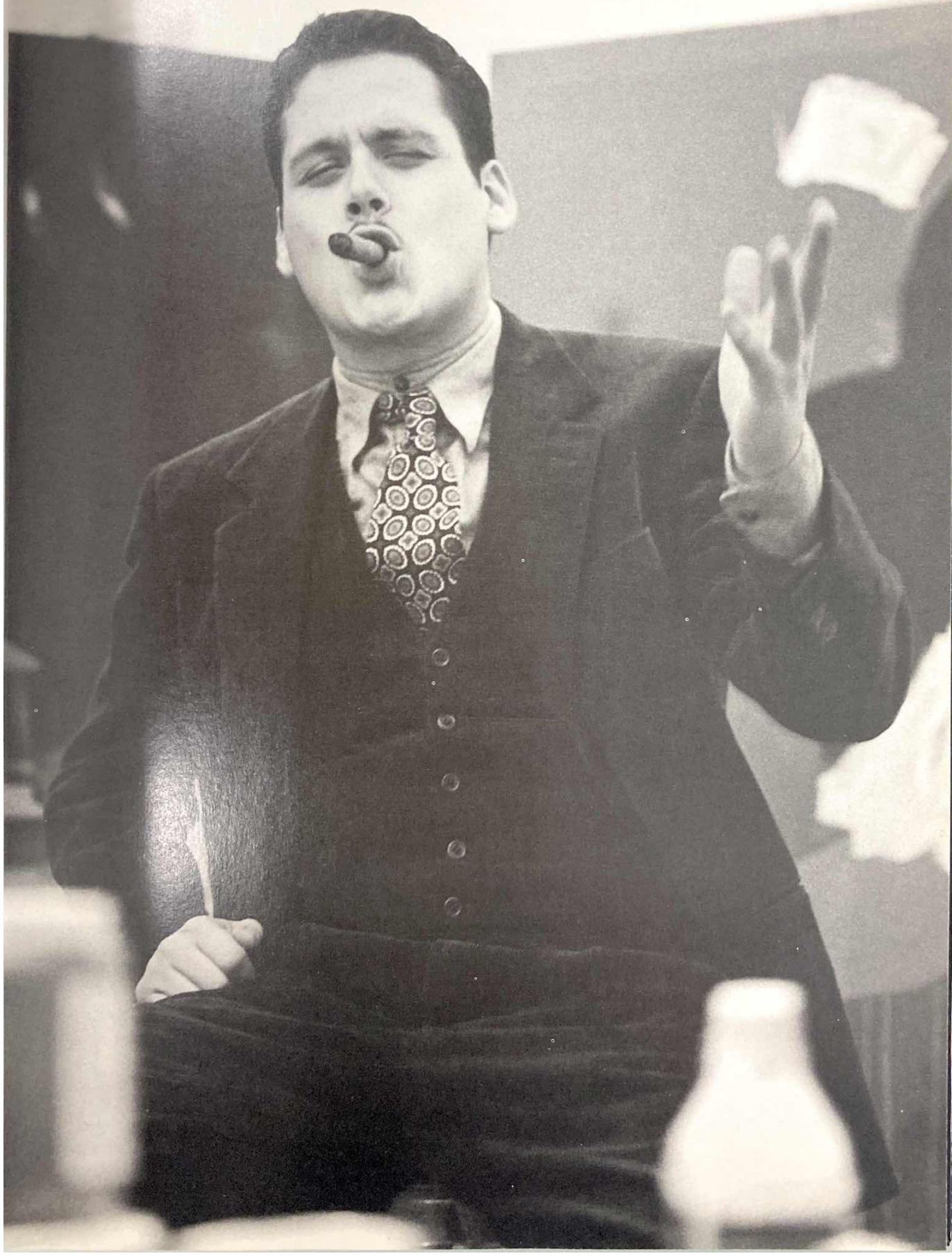
I want to thank my parents and my brother,
the main reason why I am here today.
I can't imagine doing any of this without
their support.

These past four years (or was it forty?)
have been stimulating and numbing,
electrifying and deadening, enthusiastic
and depressing, pressurized and relaxing,
exhilarating and humbling.

Now I can proudly say

VENI VEDI VICI

Andre Barbosa





Masud Beg A.

"Hey,
check this out,
I went to Pakistan the other day,
and as soon as I got there,
everyone surrendered !!!"

MEMOIRS OF A
NEO-NATIONALIST BANGLADESHI

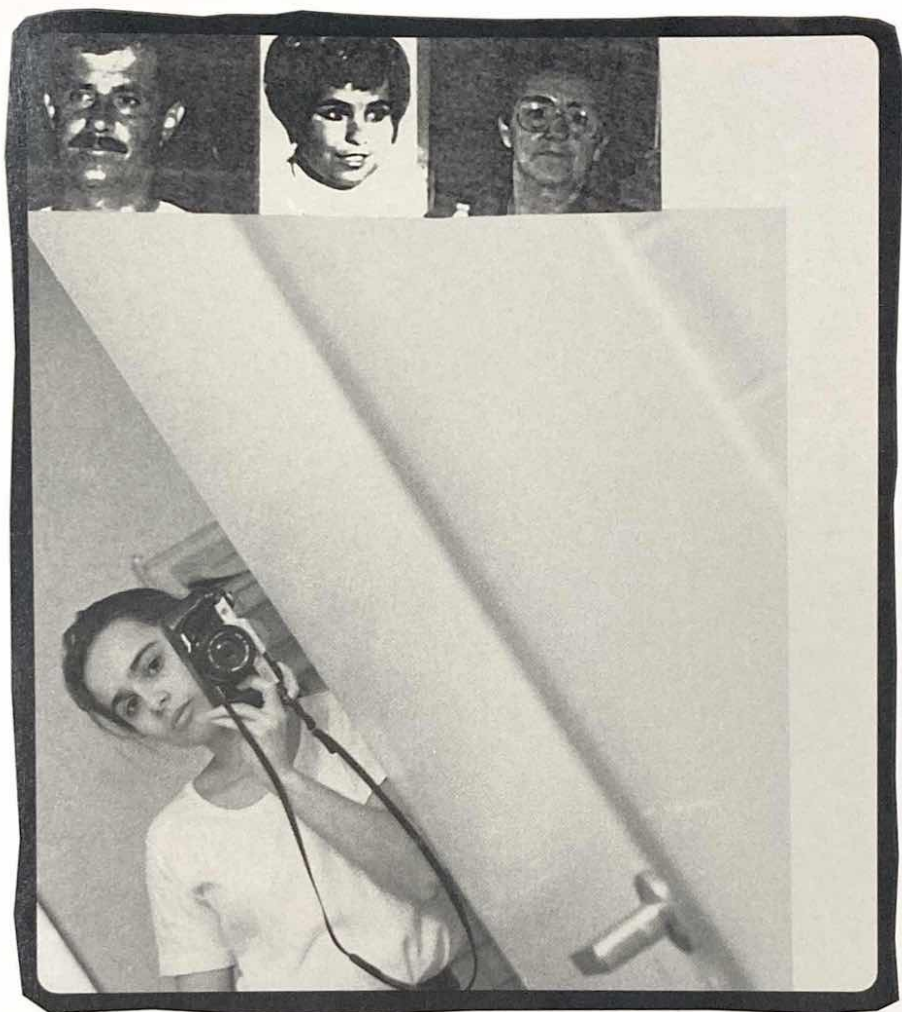


JIŘÍ W. BOUDNIK

Kevin
BROWN

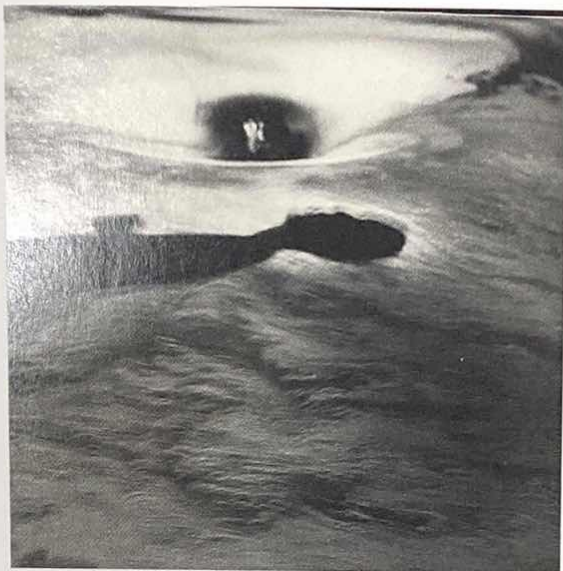
i bet you are flying inside





Fani

BUDIC



Andy BUSH

Surviving four years of the
experience that is Cooper Union,
I just couldn't have got through
it without my tan jacket . . .
oh yeah, and my friends too!

But seriously, this instituion holds a
lot of great times, great memories,
and great people:

To TP, EF, SB - Tan!

To JF, JP, JR, RB, JA - The Sleep Forum

To LVG - Friendship and Love

Go Pioneers!

Margaret Cameron

Moo

have stimulated the fertility of my mind and helped me to realize my visions. With each passing reindeer we've grown together. Your undying energy and enthusiasm spawned fruitful salmon. Thank you for contributing to a vital stage of my artistic development.

Ya Tebga Lublu!
Mumbles

P.S. George and Family, thank you for supporting me!
P.S.S. Guy and Fred, thanks for the laughs!



Michael F. Cannon



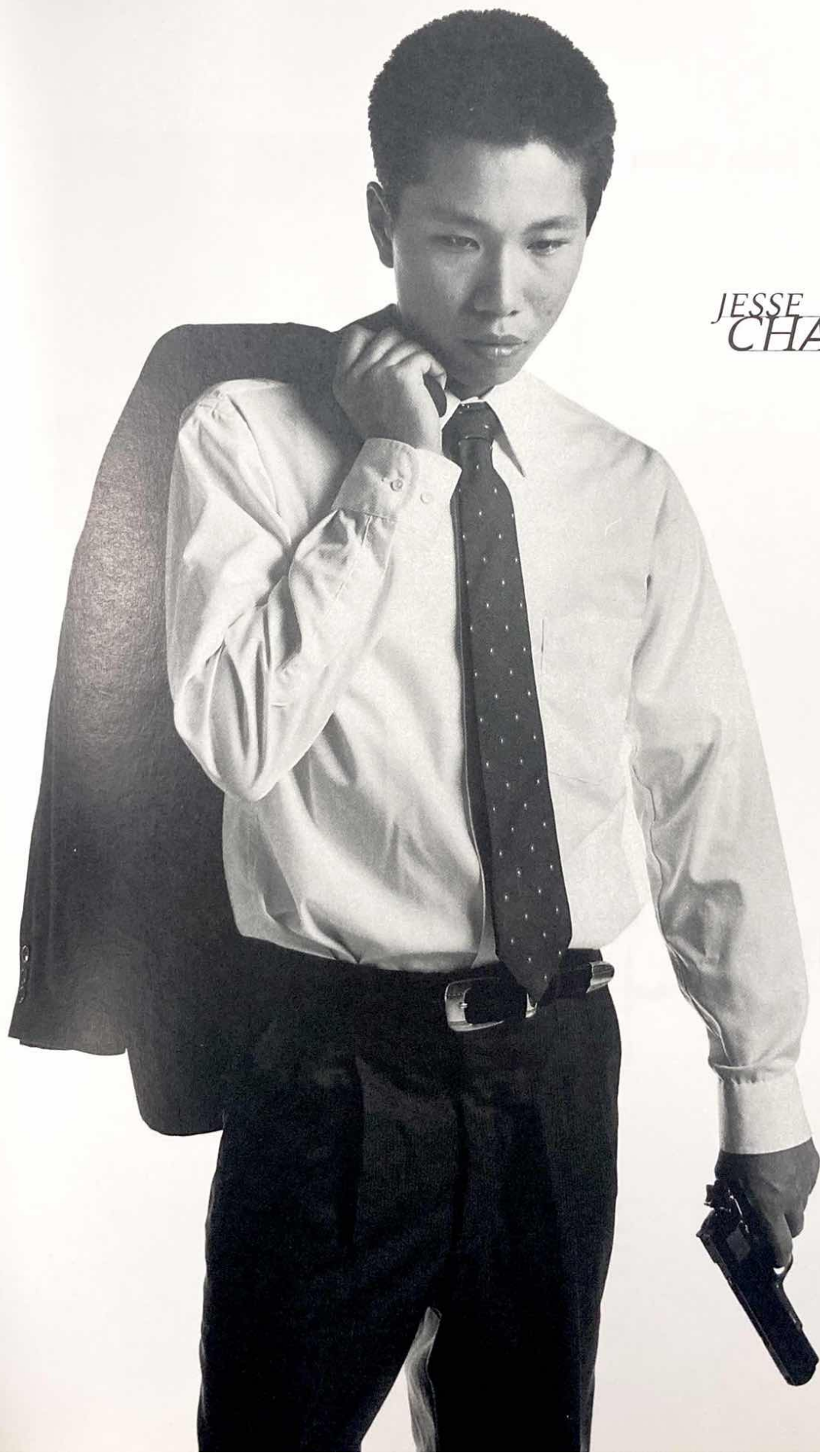
CANNON'S LAW #265:

The best steel goes through
the fire and will always survive.
Sharpened and strengthened
to the creator's desire.
Forged to enlighten humanity.

Memories of the phoenix, viper,
& eLdRiTcHTacos anybody?
Ummm, do you have a plunger?
Party @ LC's. The oak & the willow.

Mom & Dad: go raibh mile
maith agat. w/o your patience
I would never be here.

JESSE
CHAN



John Chen

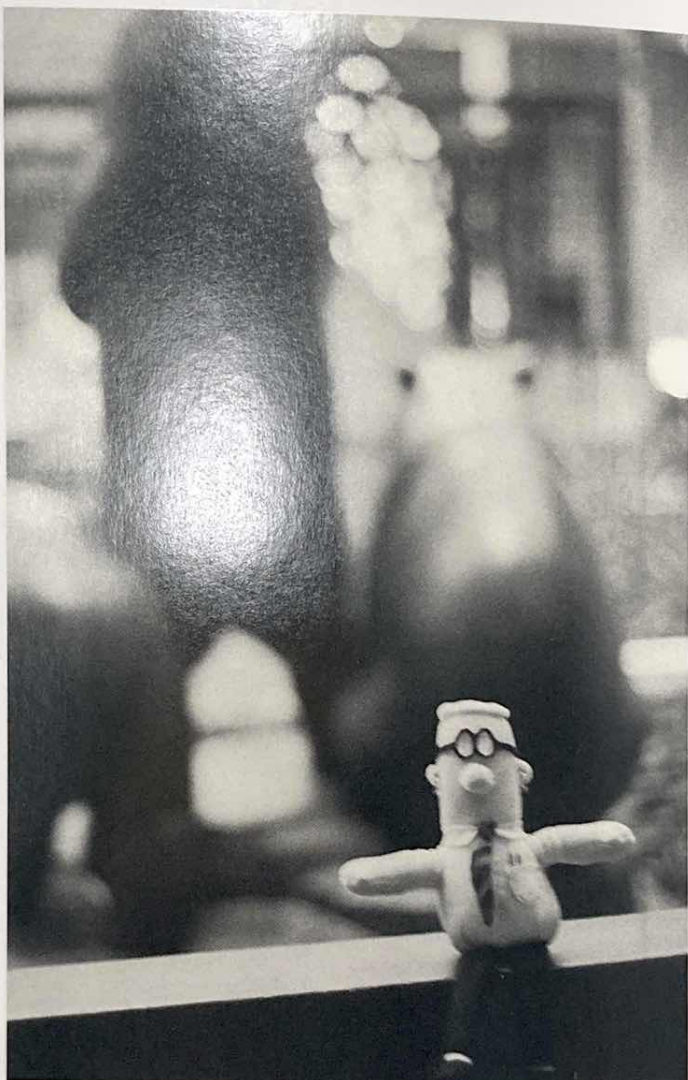


Photo by JG

UNITY' + RESPECT = nyhc

"My Friends Look Out For Me Like Family" (H2O)
Love to Mom, Dad, Jen, Rachel.),
Ray, Lori, Joe & Family, Eric, Diane, Karen
Thanks to CSA and CSFB

"...I took out of my pocket a sheet of paper and my fountain-pen. But then I remembered how my studies had been concentrated on geography, history, arithmetic and grammar, and I told the little chap (a little crossly, too) that I did not know how to draw. He answered me :

"That doesn't matter. Draw me a sheep....."

"But I had never drawn a sheep. So I drew for him one of the two pictures I had drawn so often. It was that of the boa constrictor from the outside. And I was astounded to hear the little fellow greet it with,

"No, no, no! I do not want an elephant inside a boa constrictor....."

THANX GUYS! FOR BEING THERE AND UNDERSTANDING ME
AS THE LITTLE PRINCE DID FOR ANTOINE.

ALICE, BARBARA, BRAD, CARMEN, CINDY, CHOY, DAMON,
DANNY, DAVID, DIANA, ERIC, FRANCIS, FUMIN, JIM W, JOE,
JOHN, JOHNNY, JOYCEANN, KAREN, KEVIN, LENA, LISA,
MING, MOM, PETER, RAY J., ROBERT, SATO, SCOTT, SONG,
SU-HO, TAKU, WON-HYE, YING, YVONNE

AND EVERYONE ELSE!

Rachel
CHEN

JOSE ACOBOS

It would be great to get together with my Cooper friends under a rainy day fifty years from now to look in retrospective and share our memories of this family that we are forever a part of.

Xiomara, mi eterna compañera en la clase de amor. Solo Dios sabe que tan feliz me haría el repetir esta clase con la esperanza de tenerte una y otra vez junto a mi lado.

Thank you Cooper!



Marc Colello



If it doesn't kill you, it makes you stronger.





jennifer Comito

"There are brighter sides to life, and I should know because I've seen them..."

Carolyn CONNELLY

Thanks to Jamie for being so important through these years.

To my family for being so important through all the years.

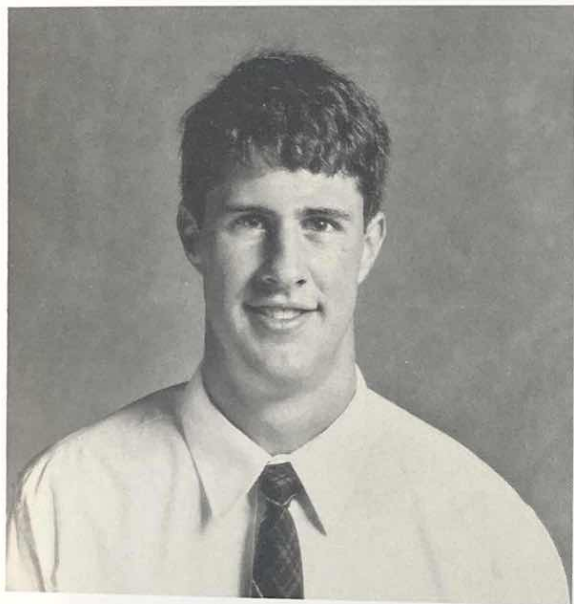
To my invaluable friends and colleagues, and to the whole of Cooper Union.

To NYC for being an awesome town.

You've given me great hope for the future.



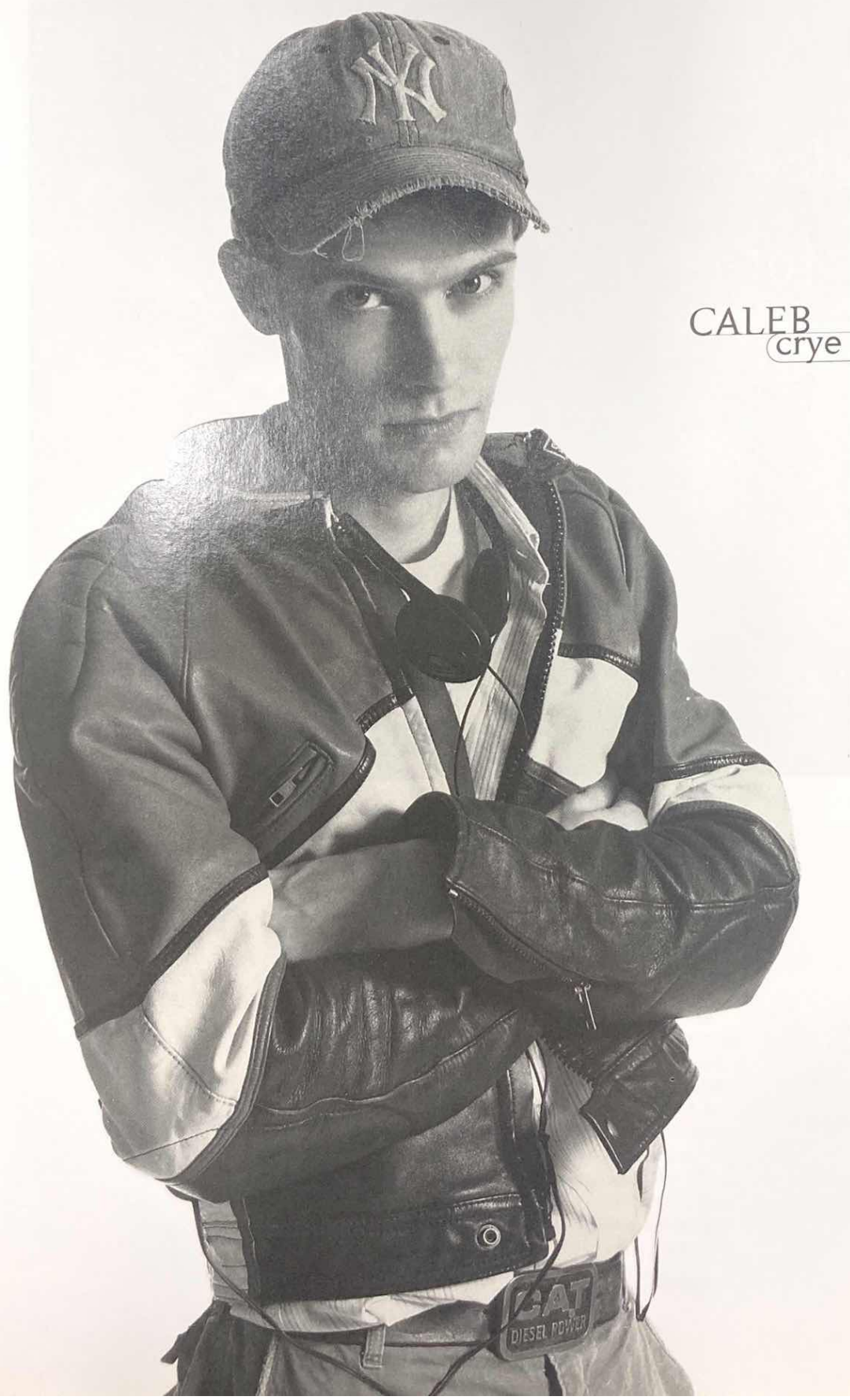
Daniel Cronin



ON LONG LIVING

Avoid fried meats,
which angry up the blood.
If your stomach disputes you,
lie down and pacify it with cool thoughts.
Keep the juices flowing
by jangling gently as you move.
Go very light on the vices,
such as carrying on in society
-society ramble ain't restful.
Avoid running at all times.
Don't look back.
Something might be gaining on you.

SATCHEL PAIGE



CALEB
crye

How to brighten your kitchen
for only 6¢ !



Amy B. Cutler

paul D E U R

Bog i Hrvati

Mama, Tata, Allen, Tomislav, Natalie,
Andrej, Violette - All my Love.

My Junior Detectives, Sweeney - Za
Dom. Broken Blimpies. We love The
Stuff. Ping pong/piano/physics tutori-
als. 1.55. Eich Haeber Hertzklöphen.
Where is Pedro? St. Marks Drummer-
boy loves a gallon of Red. Our fist
Hershey. Boston's Guffery.

Wedding that happened in Spain.

Visa - everything I wish he bought.

Cartey's Scuffle. Physics and the
chaos theory sculpture. Swee +

Robots = you shouldn't be driving.

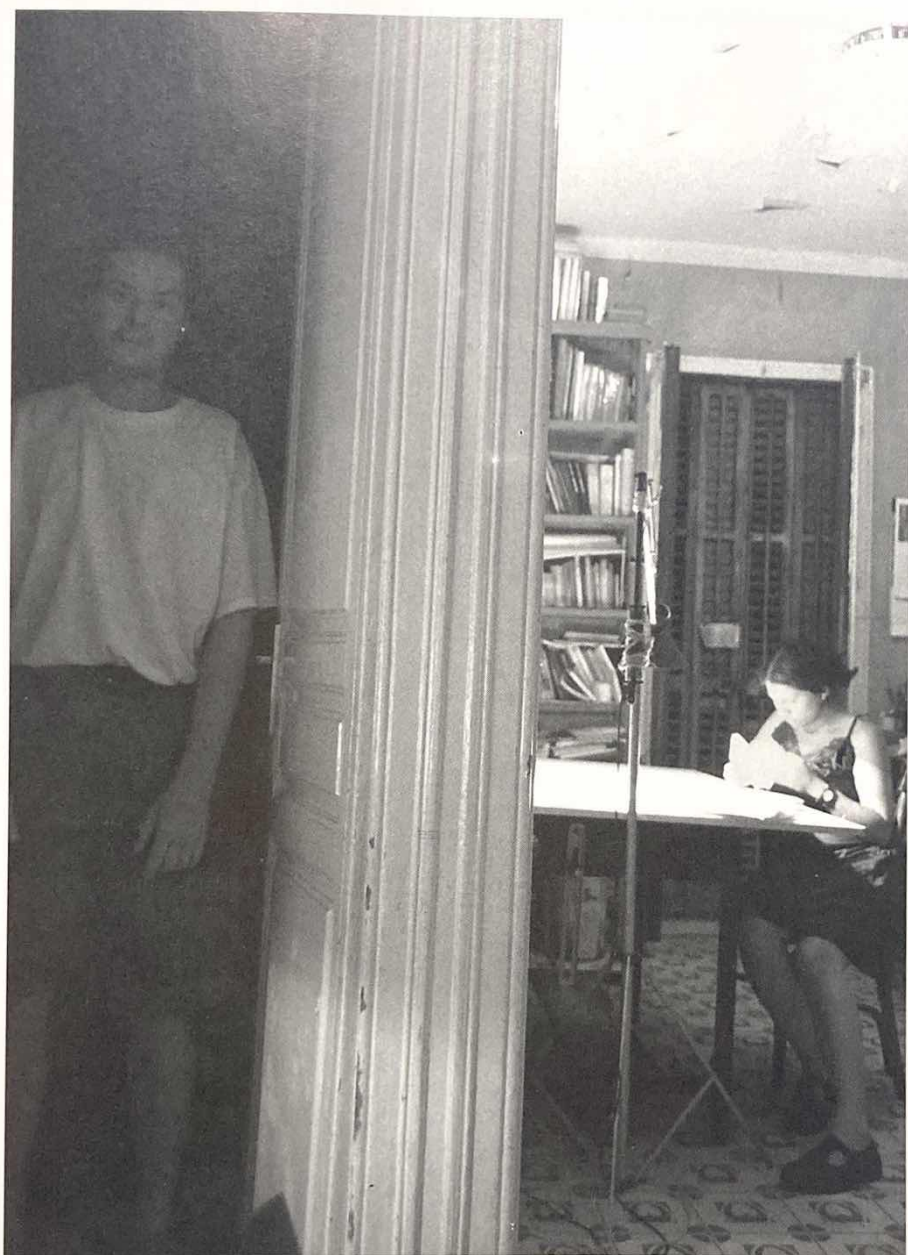


... the only people for me are the
mad ones, the ones who are mad to
live, mad to talk, mad to be saved,
desirous of everything at the same
time, the ones who never yawn or
say a commonplace thing, but burn,
burn, burn like fabulous yellow
roman candles exploding like
spiders across the stars and in the
middle you see the blue centerlight
pop and everybody goes "Awww!"

J. KEROUAC.

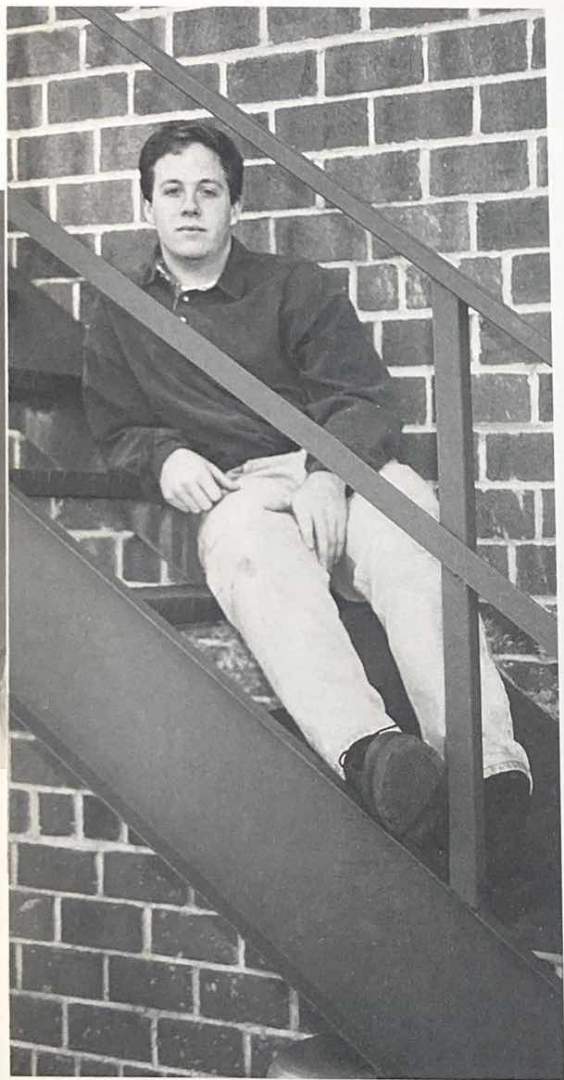
JILL DEL FAVERO





Mark the Unknown

Paul **D.A.** Deppe



Mike D U F F Y

"I am so smart - S M R T!"

HOMER

Thanks to everyone that helped me get this far.



Sharon eshet

Gotond Farkas

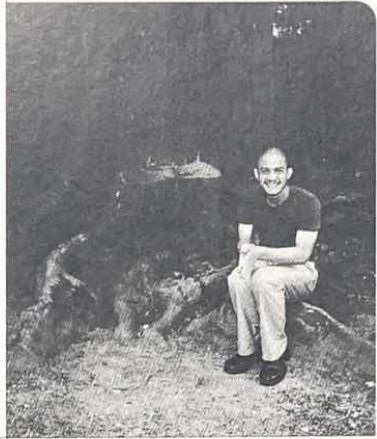


LEISURE

W. H. DAVIES (1870-1940)

What is this life if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare.
No time to stand beneath the boughs,
And stare as long as sheep or cows.
No time to see, when woods we pass,
Where squirrels hide their nuts in grass...
...A poor life this if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare.

prabda
Yoon



ERIC
Fertman

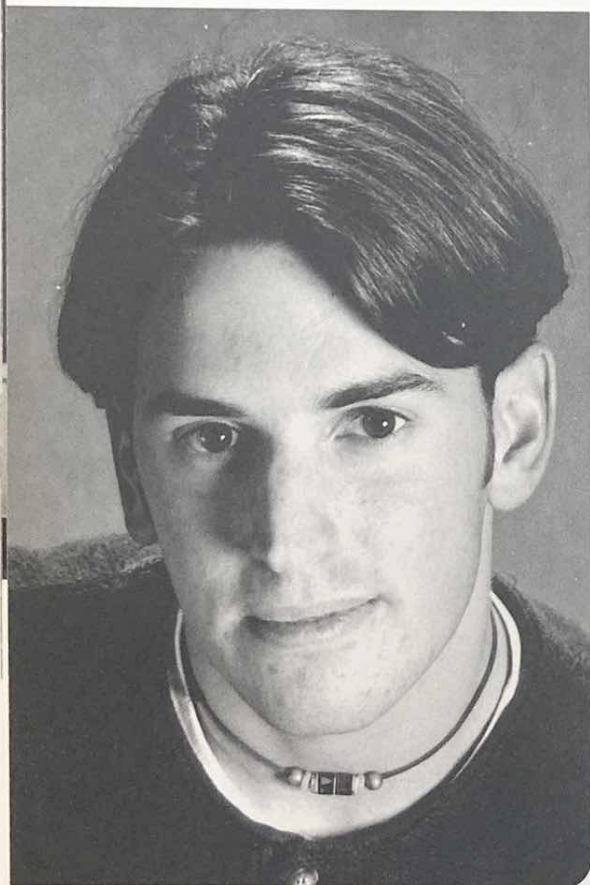
EDWARD Fiorelli

Leaving out the overdone personal philosophies, some notes for posterity:

the guitar, Hunt the Wumpus,
Leuf Rats, Bootleg Frank, Hockey,
Grumman summer, ME labs.

Thanks to Cooper for the opportunity,
thanks to my family for the chance.

Lastly, Diane. For always we will be,
so say the stars. I love you.



Adam ^B_FTRESTER

What life at Cooper has taught me:

Drinking DOES help solve most problems

It really is a small world

A chicken may be approximated by a sphere of water

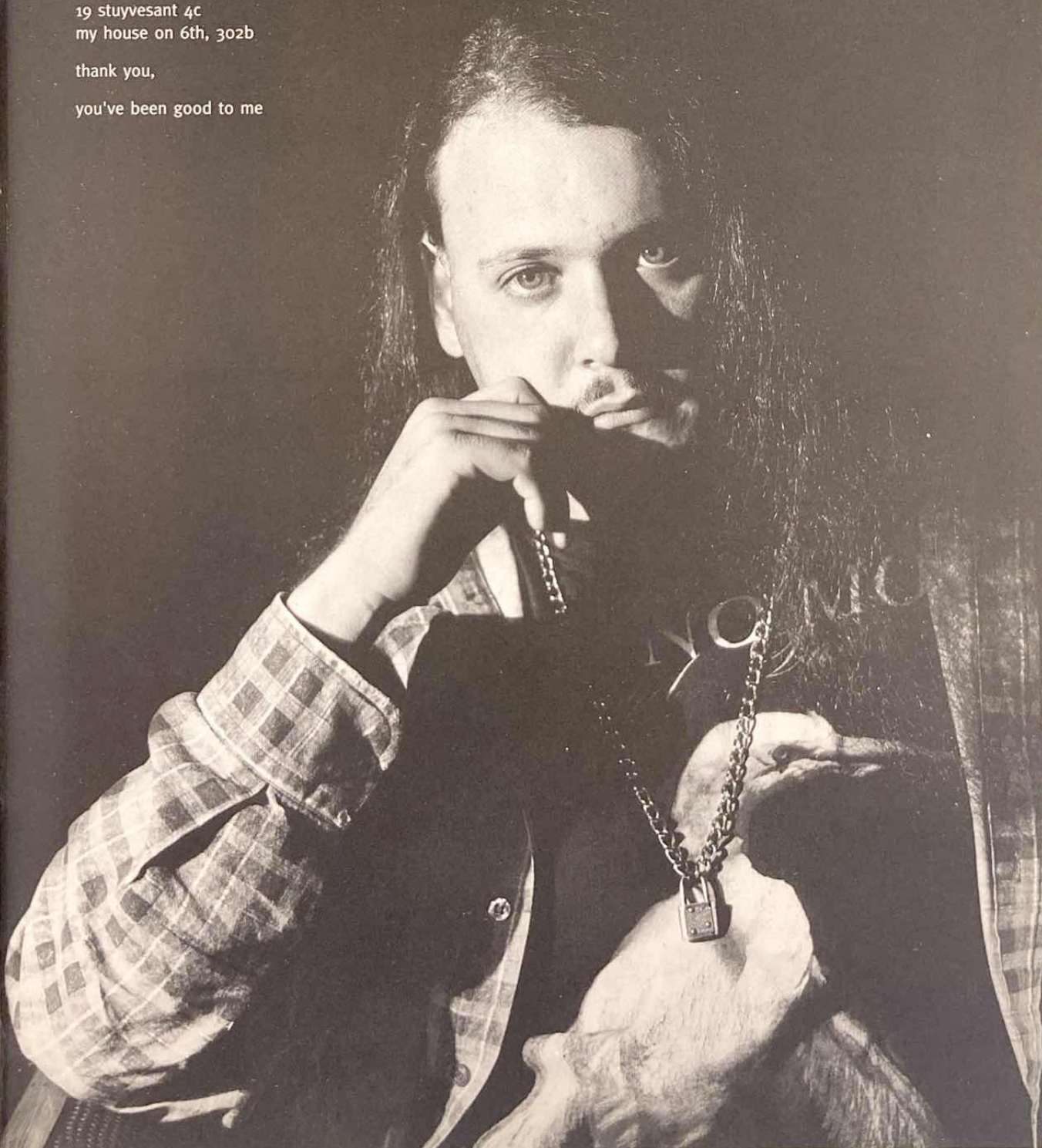
Some people are DUMBER than they look

"It's a long way to the top if you wanna rock 'n' roll."

mom, dad, neha p
all my friends, tdp
faith no more, cucc
19 stuyvesant 4c
my house on 6th, 302b

thank you,

you've been good to me





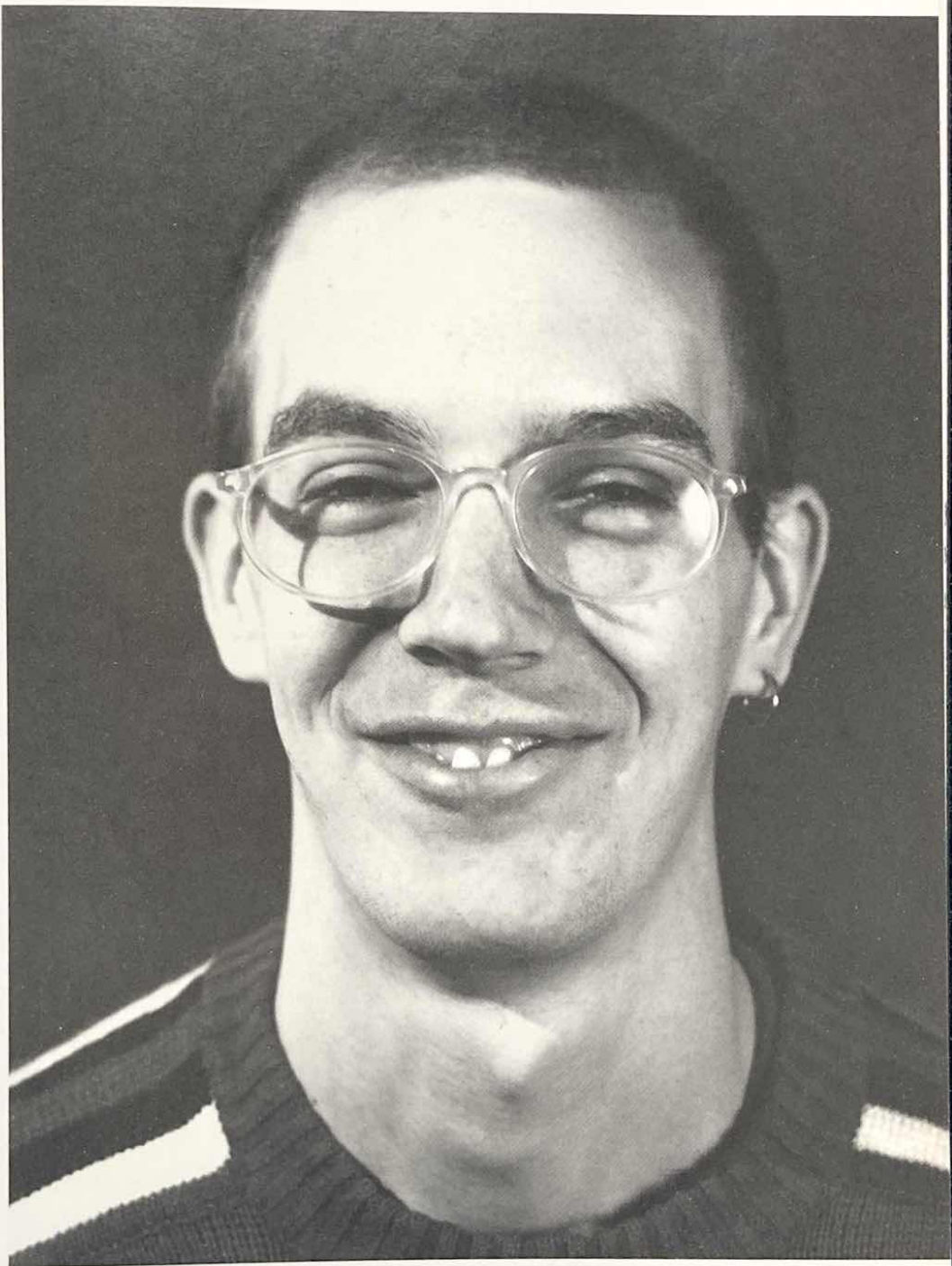


4TH year ARCHITECTS



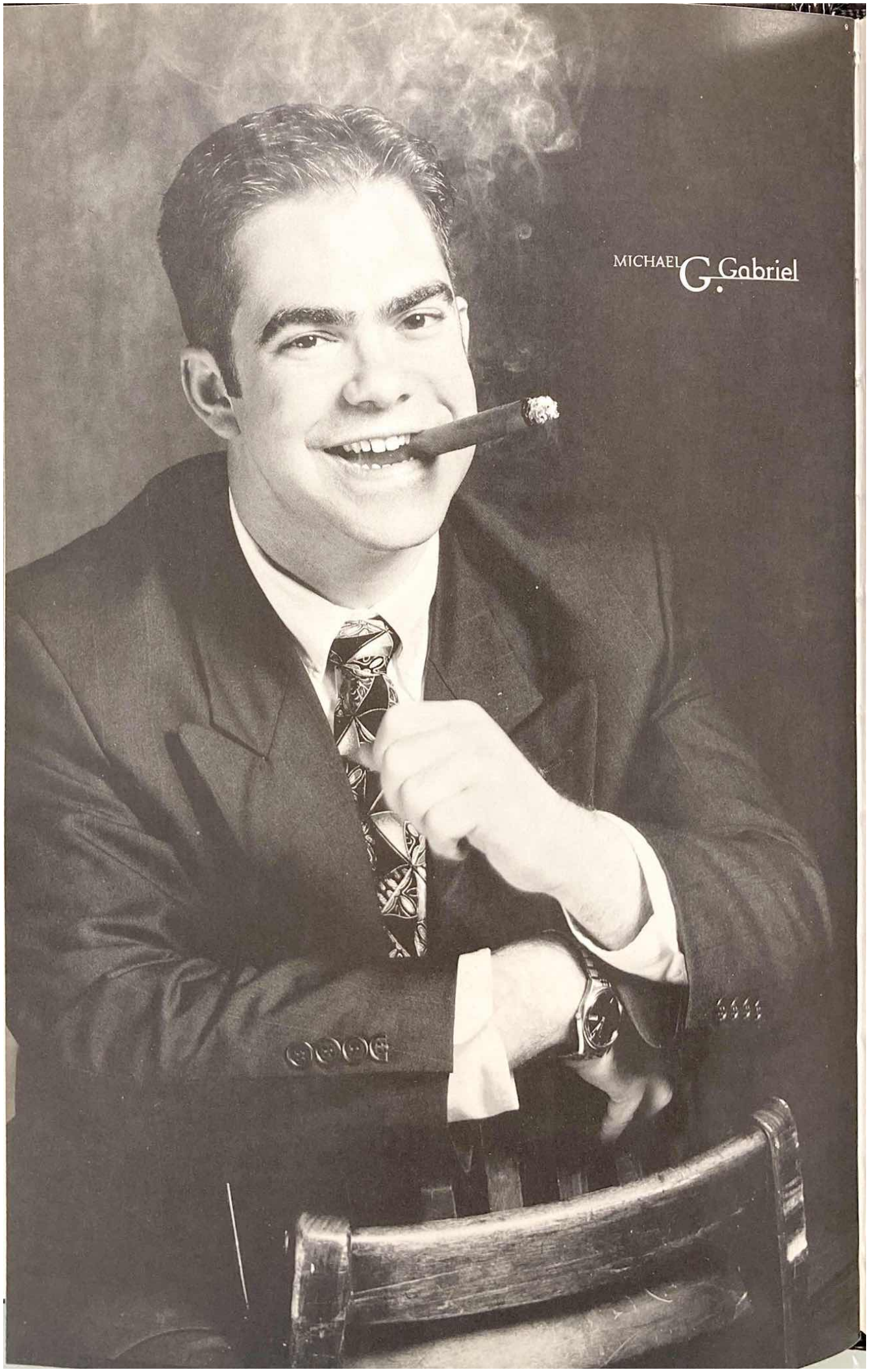
ERIC
fung

Yeah... I guess I'll stop bitching now.



JOHN f u r g a s o n

MICHAEL G. Gabriel



Alec G^ellman

What's a Cooper student's worst enemy
when writing a lab report, humanities paper,
or yearbook quote?
WRITER'S BLOCK!

Oh, well. BYE EVERYBODY!





Vasiliki
GEORGOPOULOS



Where you are,
I have been,
and
where I am,
you will come.

Borinquen Gallo



Antoinette M. Stam



I want to Thank my Family,
Friends and Professors for
supporting me during these
four years at Cooper Union.
I also want to Thank God
for giving me the strength
to face the many challenges.

Through Him all things are
possible.....

Sara ^{Yael}
GOLDSTEIN

"...All grown-ups were once children
although few of them remember that."

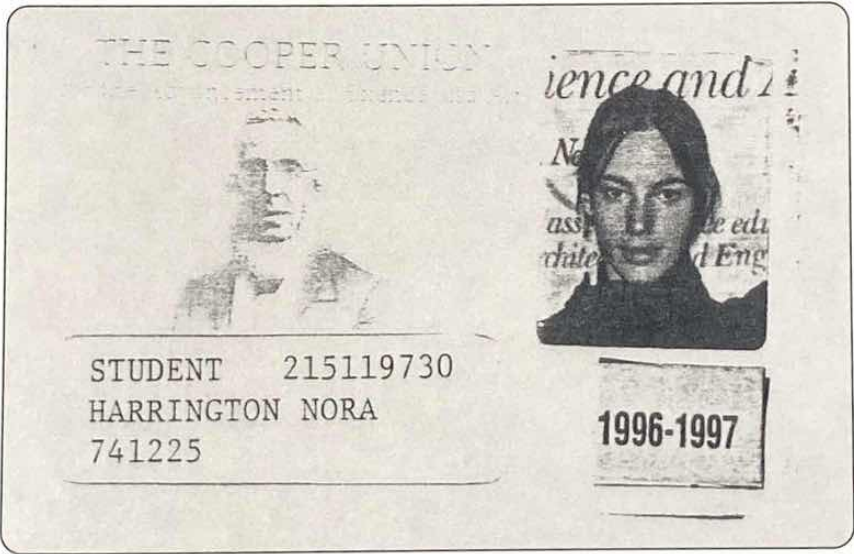




Je**n**s Graeber

Joey Grossfield



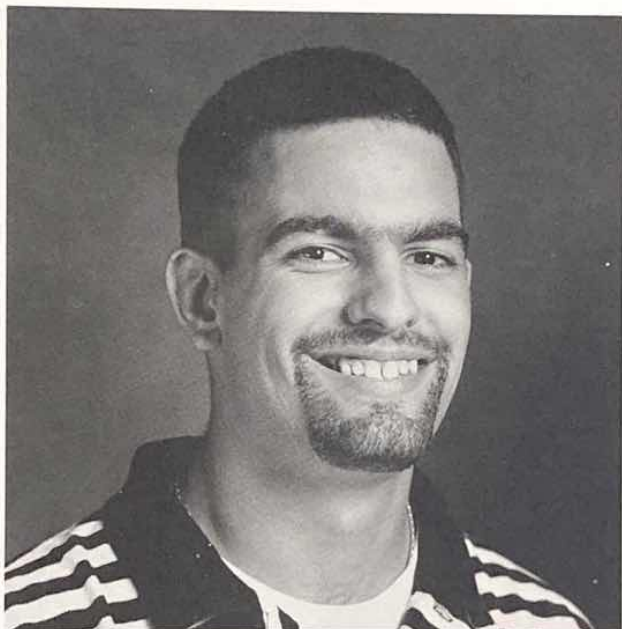


David **H**arris

I hope if dogs ever take over
the world and they choose a king,
they don't just go by size,
because I bet there are some
Chihuahuas with some good ideas.

JACK HANDEY

TOny Hellen



Special thanks to:

MOM, DAD, and NICK for putting up with me. Leuf Rats and other ME's for all your help. Dean Baker for being my best friend and teacher. HUGE BIGUP to my one and only Marleta for doing everything with me.

Thanks for everything. We will be leaving with a smile.

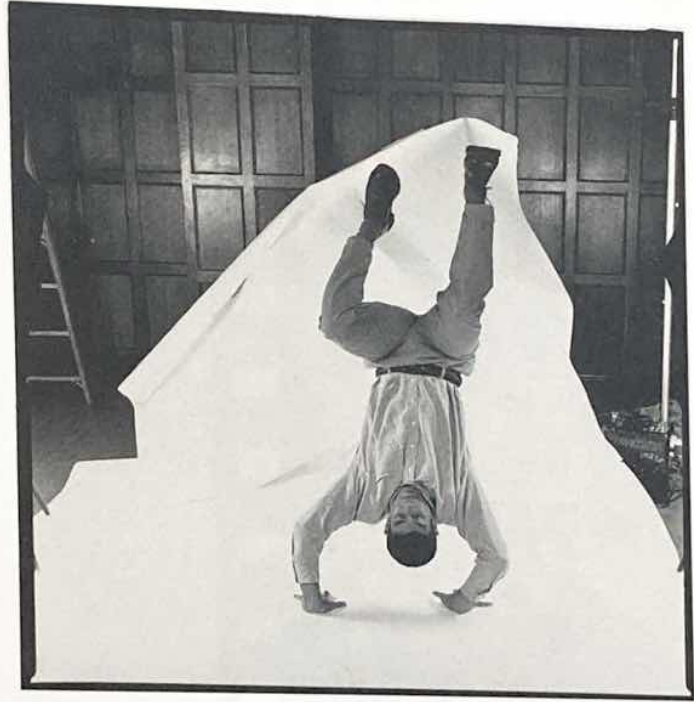
PEACE. I'M OUT!

The G-Man gets the GAS FACE!!

Kenie HO

Life can be interesting... amusing... fun... cool... but rarely joyous. Most of us will be truly happy only a few times in our lives. And only at those times will we realize that we weren't before. So when you find something or someone that makes you feel so wonderful you want to sing, hold on to it with everything you've got because there are only a few chances.





Aftab Hussain

By the Token of
Time through the Ages
Verily Man
Is in Loss

Except such as have Faith
And do righteous deed,
And join together,
In the Mutual Teaching
of Truth, and of Patience
and Constancy.

(QURAN, S.113)

VINCENT Ip



One of my favorite aspects of Cooper is being able to walk its halls and say, "hello" to so many people.

The past four years have been filled with moments of high stress and high joyousness and through it all we had each other to depend on.

When I think of Cooper, I'll always think of my large circle of friends. Oh, and speaking of circles.

. . . Hacky Sack, Anyone ?

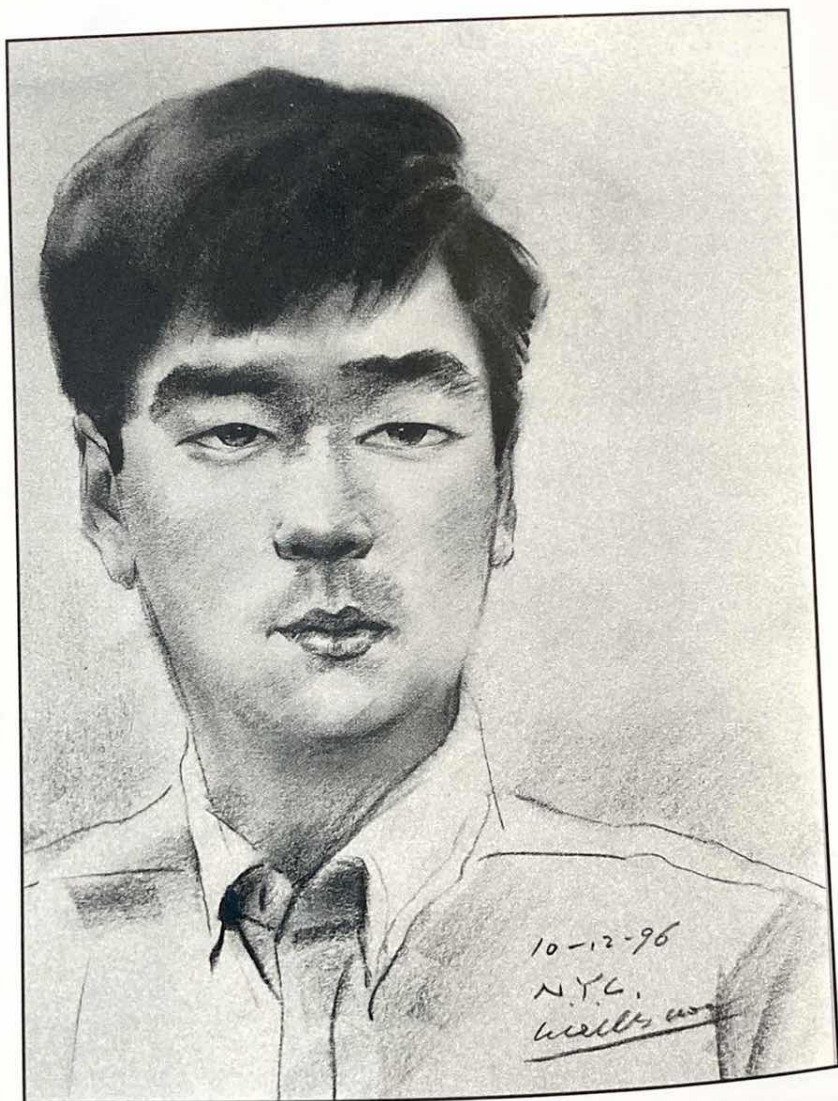
JANIA

FRANK JANIA

In every situation there are 3 questions:
What do you want?
How bad do you want it?
Now, what are you going to do to get it?

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HOK Joeng

"For everything there is a season,
and a time for every matter under heaven...
For if a man lives many years, let him rejoice in them all,
but let him remember that days of darkness will be many."

KING SOLOMON, ECCLESIASTES

Thus, as I have learned from the last four years, always ask,
De quoi S'agit-il?" (What is it all about?)

GENERAL FERDINAND FOCH

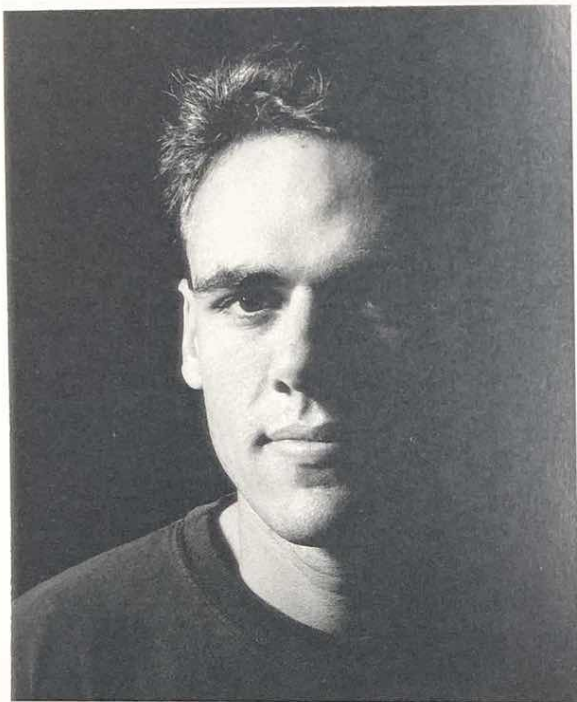
Margarett Jolly

How fabulous and bizarre my time here has been.
I suffered strange new ailments and had at least one
breathtaking insight.

Special thanks to Dean Bory and Professor LeMee
(for letting me in!) and to Professor Chinitz,
Shannon, Chris, Taymour without whom I would still
be running those smelly printing presses.



Andrew Kean



TRUE COLOURS

Have you ever wondered...

...why things happen the way they do?

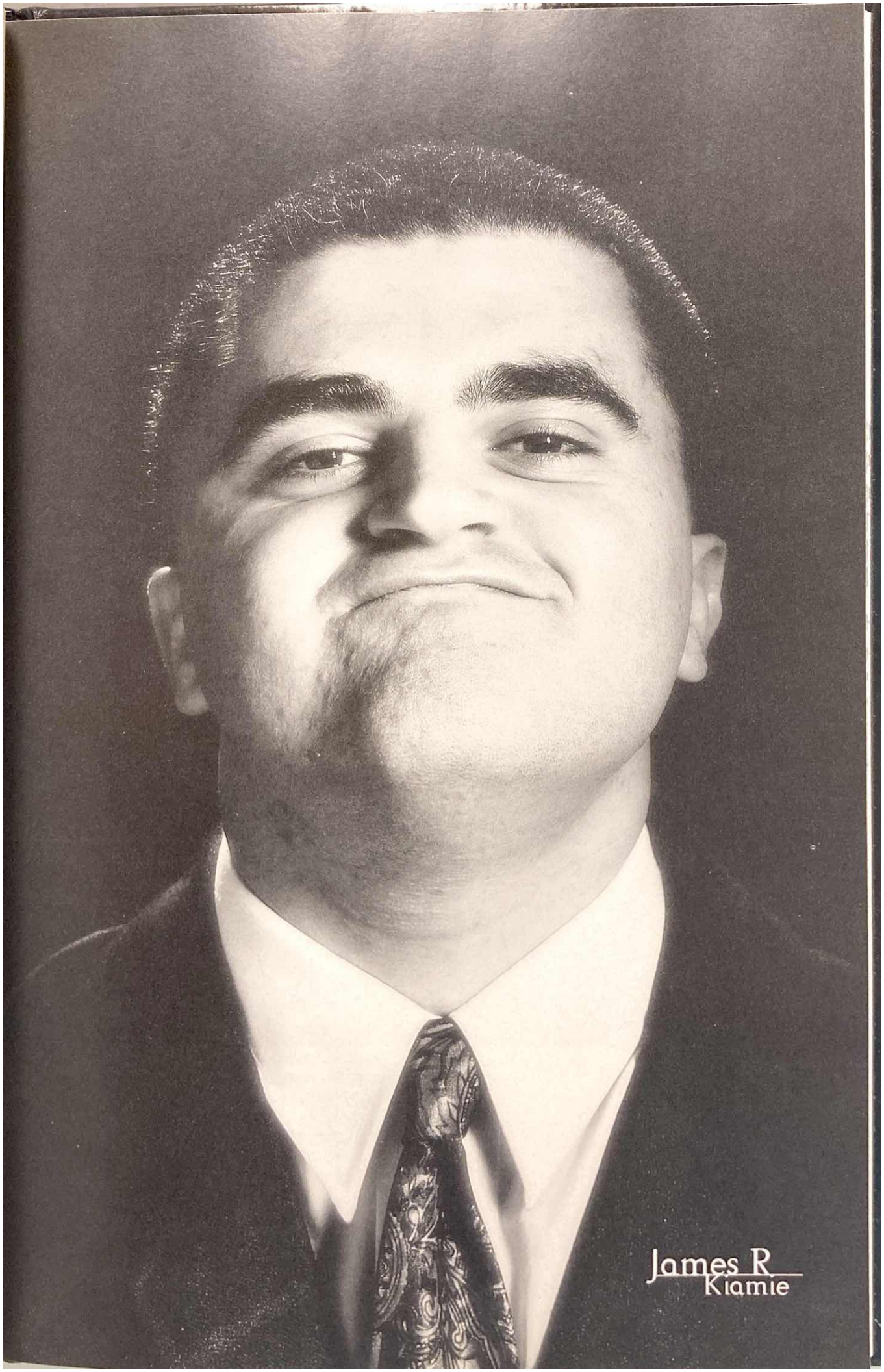
...is someone watching me right now
and laughing?

...can any vehicle ever replace a yellow
VW campmobile?

...will KROQ come in any better around
the next bend?

...how can u equal velocity
AND internal energy?

or is it just me?



James R.
Kiamie



tina Kiang

So much could be said about my years at Cooper -
but it would fill volumes.

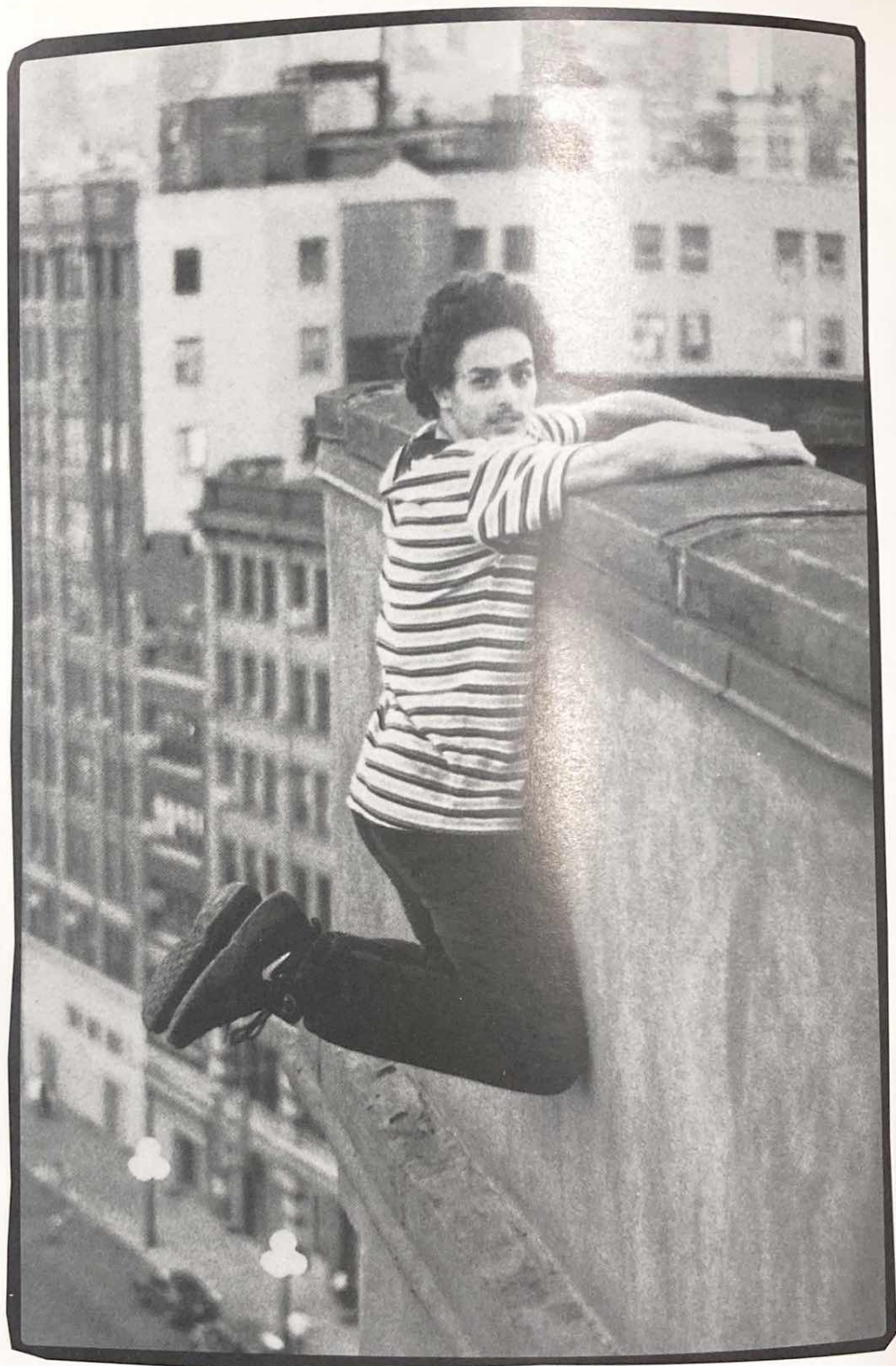
Thank you to everyone who has made me happy
Friends who have been there for countless years
Friends I've made at Cooper - too numerous to name
And my Family - what can I say?

Thank you, Mommy, for all your strength - I miss you

"Good night, good night. Parting is such sweet sorrow - Really it is!"

ELISABETH Koch





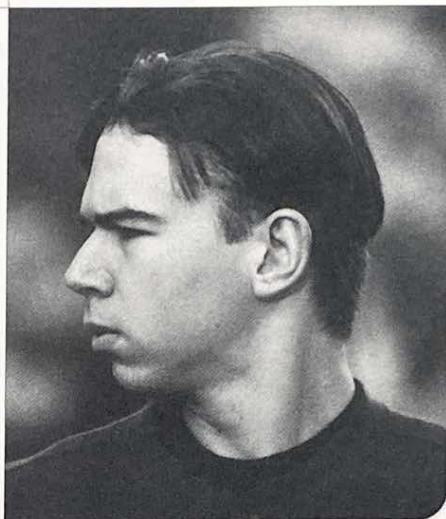
“...like a fellow I knew in El Paso.
One day he just took off all his clothes
and jumped into a mess of cactus,
and I asked him why.

He said, ‘It seemed like a good idea at the time’...”

And I’ll miss you most of all, scarecrow.

vK

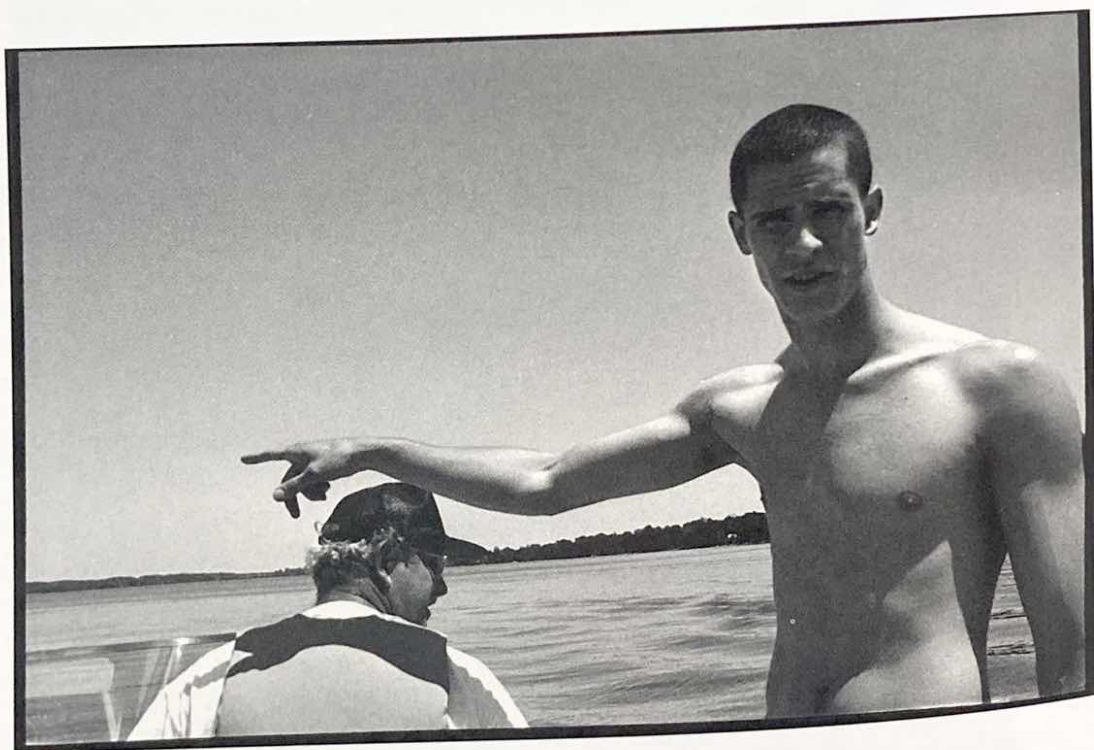
Jozef **G.** Krakora



Maximum respect and appreciation
to all who endured and worked on.
Thank you God for the strength to get
this far. May the attitude and love
of the Cooper brother never die, as the
world is bitter. Those who have partied,
studied, laughed, and worked with me,
I remember always

--the sun may come up but the memory
lasts forever.

God Bless You All.

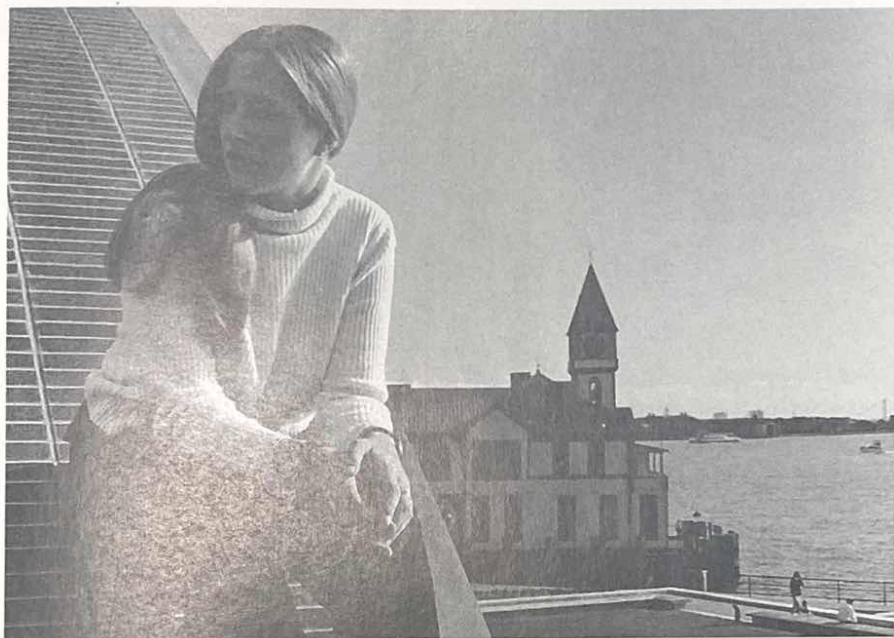


CHARLES Henry Aloysius KREKELBERG

Zan Kuang

Neil Kwait

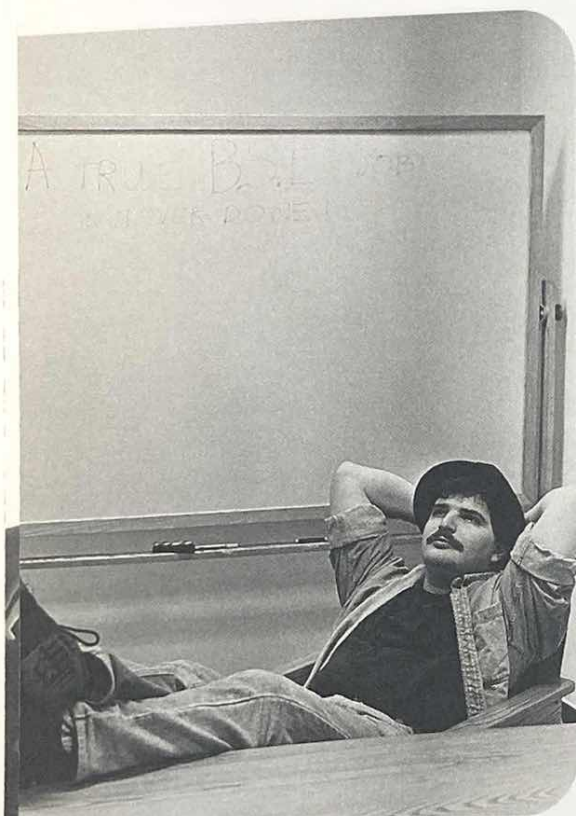




Annalee Lyman Lanier

That which you Fear the most will meet you halfway.

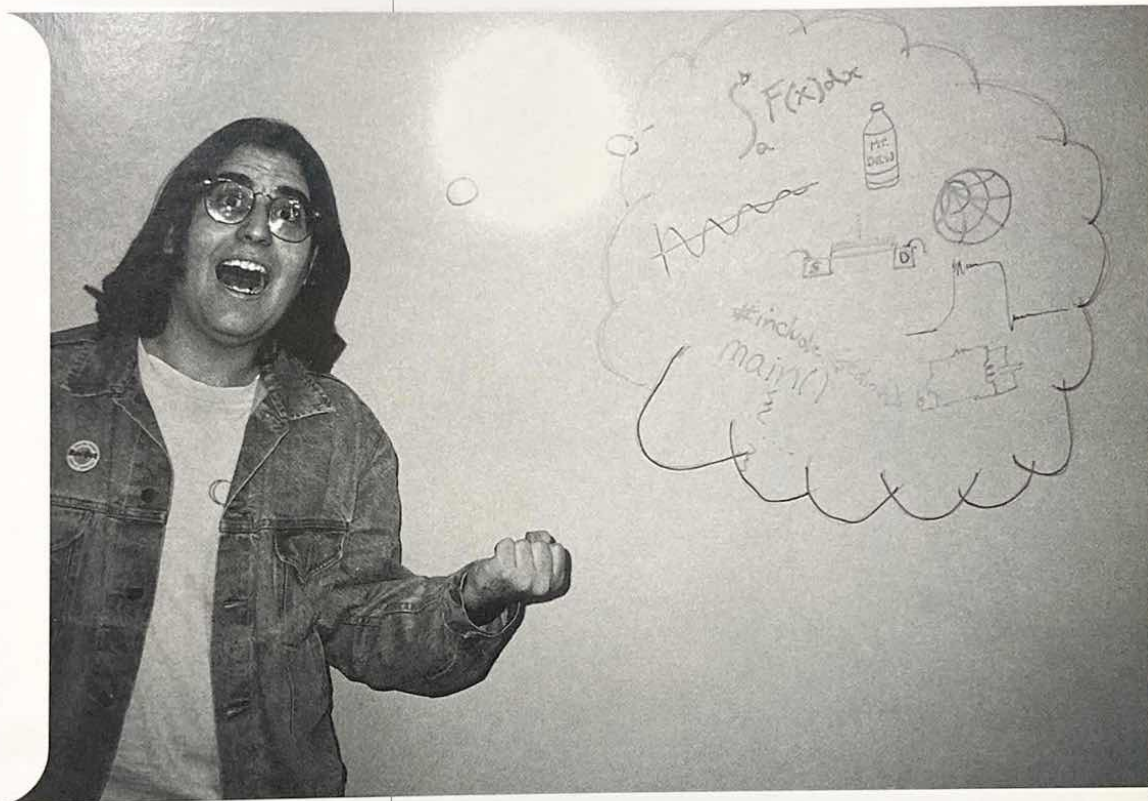
VW.



Michael Lasevich

I remember everything!
 Felix the Cat, Michelle, Adam, Dorms,
 Floyd Tix, Poker Nights (BD), Gene,
 Canoe Trips, 19 Sty, Ski trips,
 TM Class, Store24 (RIP), Kiev, House,
 McSorley's, VF2, Junior Year,
 Ale House, "Hmm, sandwich!", B5,
 apartment 9, all the silent q's,
 and Tau Delta Phi - you've all got me
 through this..

RONALD Laufer



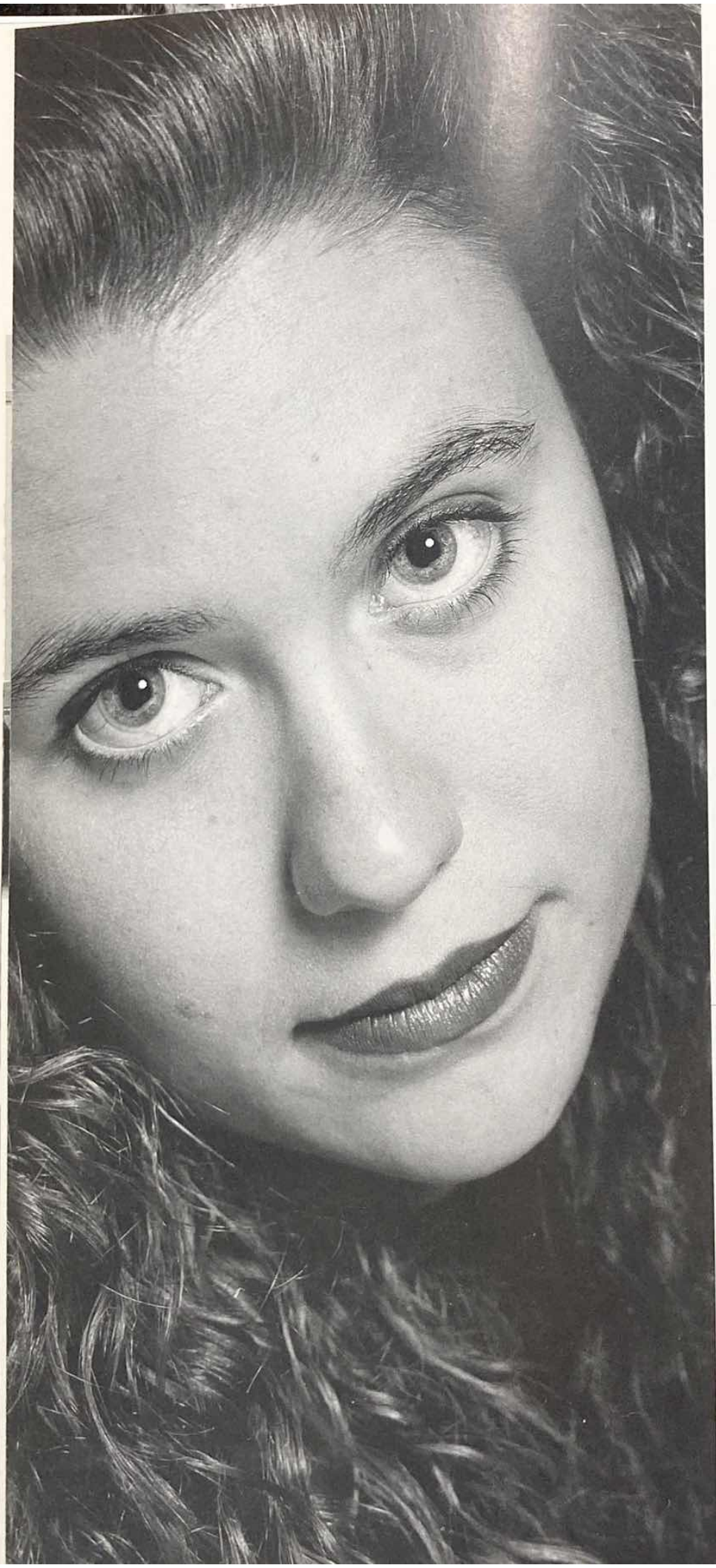
A wise man said, "Logic is the beginning of wisdom, not the end."
I thank my professors for beginning my wisdom & my friends for
ending it.

Where did 4 years go?

May as well ask, "Why does the sun come up?

Or are the stars just pinpricks in the curtain of night?"

There is no fate but what we make!



Stephanie A.
LAURETANO

...We wander the halls looking for happiness. We keep going because above all else we never stop learning, growing, changing, and dreaming. Dreams keep us going and they always will. All we can do is thank God that we have something to hold onto, like dreams and each other...

Good Bye,
Be Good and Have Fun

DENNIS lee

Many thanks for:

being best buds-

VIPer VI, Loose Cannon MC, Lowball KH

giving me hugs-

Buttlove TK, Marshmallow CC

giving me a spot-

John C, Eric F, Jesse C

making class fun-

Wussling YL, Paul's Balls PT, Pisse JA

putting up with me-

Isye, Ellen, Jim&Mich, Migs, Tracy, Sonia

not impeaching me-

CSA, past and present

teaching me about luv-

Karen

Goofy 4ever

P-boy





Jennifer LEE



Jill C. Lee

Five minutes? What?! A BREAK?!

Time to do a report...

Time to finish the assignment...

Time to eat...

Time to take a nap...

Time to ...

Quick! More work ...

Life should be fulfilling and time efficient,
shouldn't it?

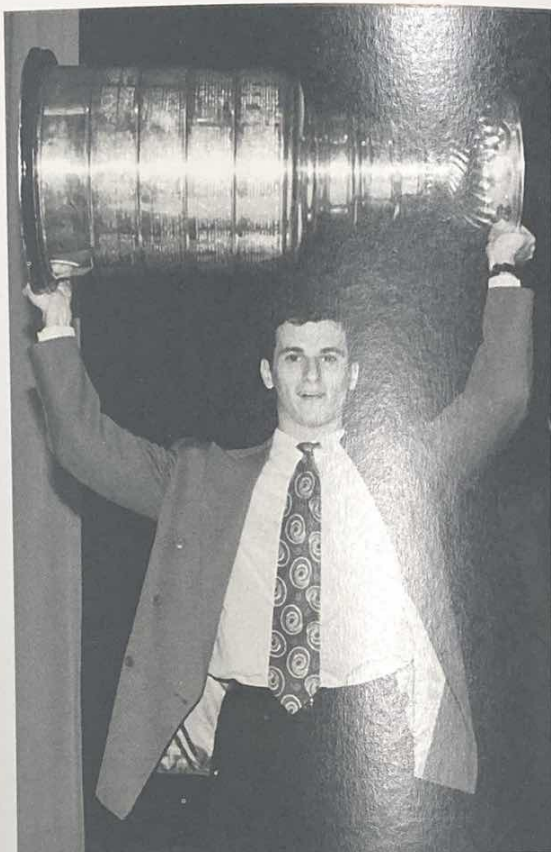
hmmm... too fulfilling...

Yanling^{Lei}



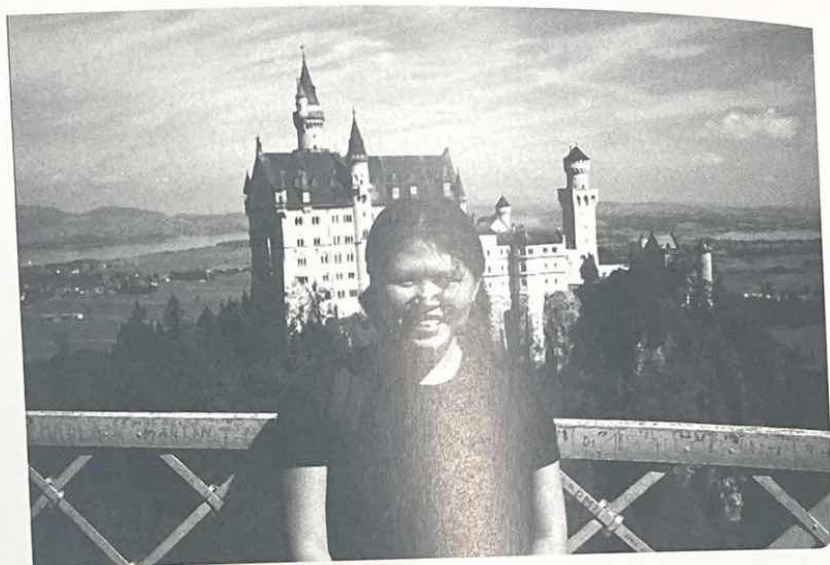


David LEVINE





Yvette Li



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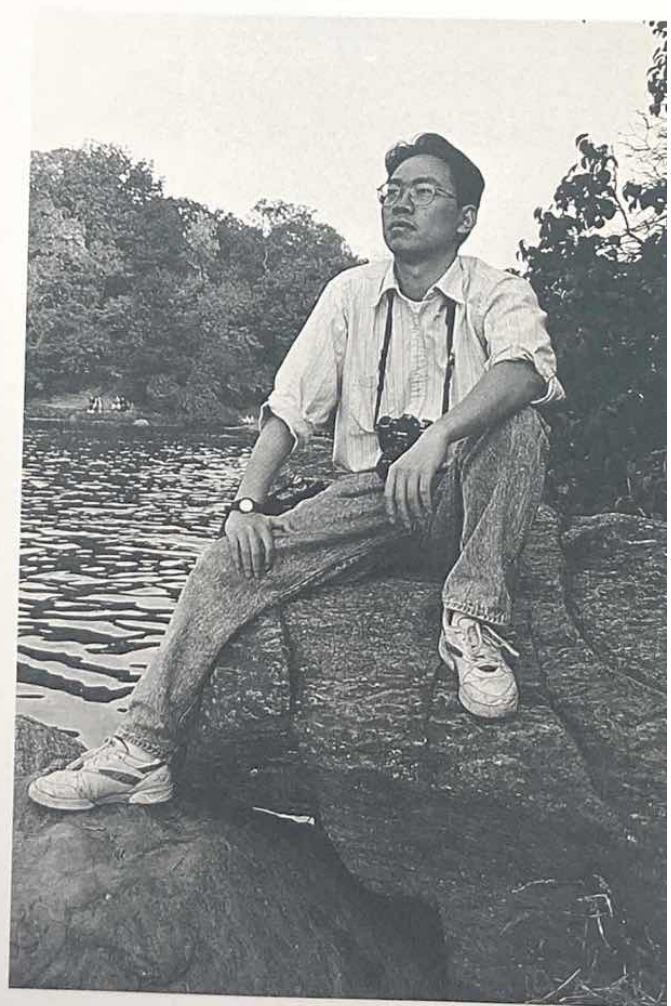
Neuschwanstein in Füssen, Germany

"I say, I wonder what's going to happen exciting *today?*"

PIGLET, THE VERY SMALL ANIMAL

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Zhen Yu Liu



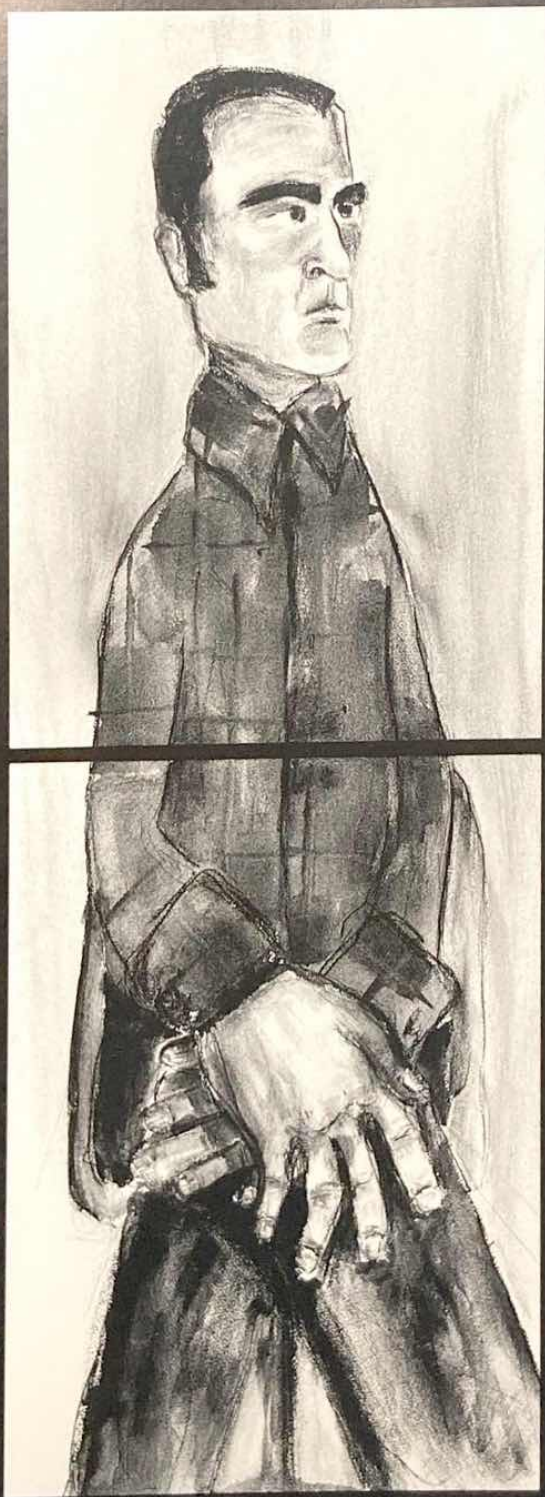


Jerome PETER Lynch

What lies behind us and what lies before us
are little matters compared to what lies within us.

EMERSON

Go raibh math aguth,
Slán agat



jonmaass

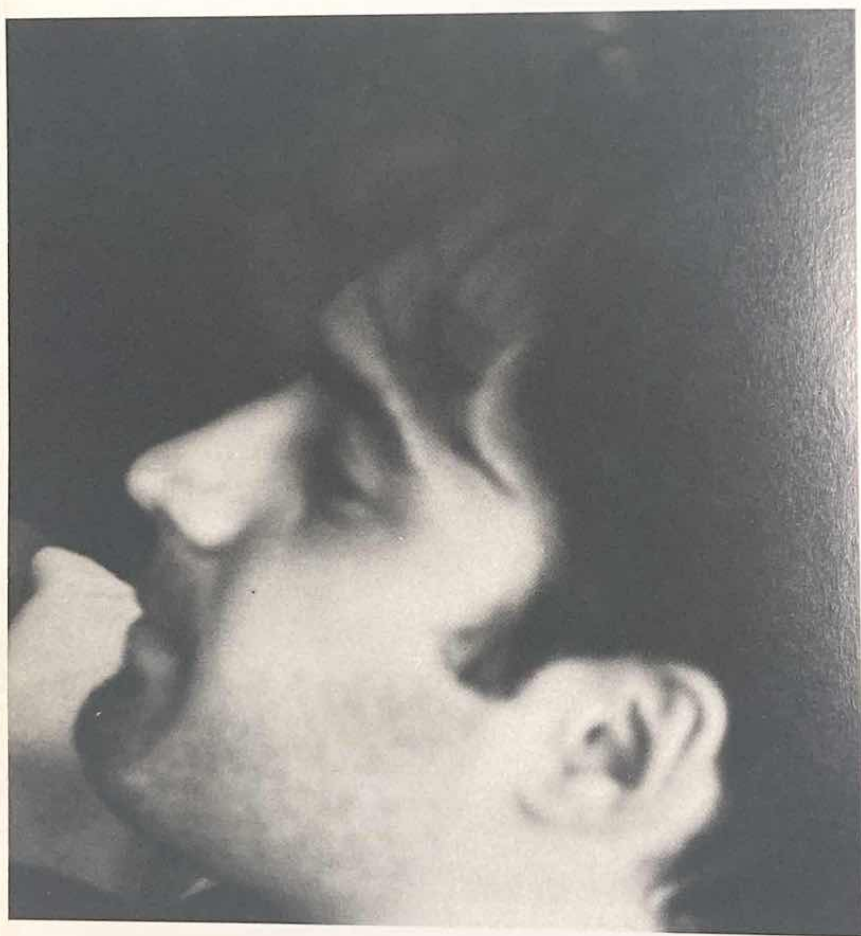


Kate Elizabeth MacArevey

Blessed are they who can laugh at themselves,
for they shall never cease to be amused.



TRACY MACNEAL



SOKOL Malushaga

All those voices dance in my head
As the cock wakes up the city
Your blond hair tangles with my beard
Kissing yellow sky, young sun and chimney
soldiers open the door's of the school
I listen to the water before I drink it
wounded shadows run through the streets
Sarin and Torun Served again

Cielo RIZA racelis MANUBAY

You never know when you're making a memory.

- Yr. 1. We didn't "...fail." (Prof. V. style)
2. Ballroom dancing, anyone?
3. Flocculation
4. already?!

CE class: Standing out in 2nd fl hallway
on break.

TYL

Thanks Mama & Daddy, Cel & bros.

Let's sing, sissy.

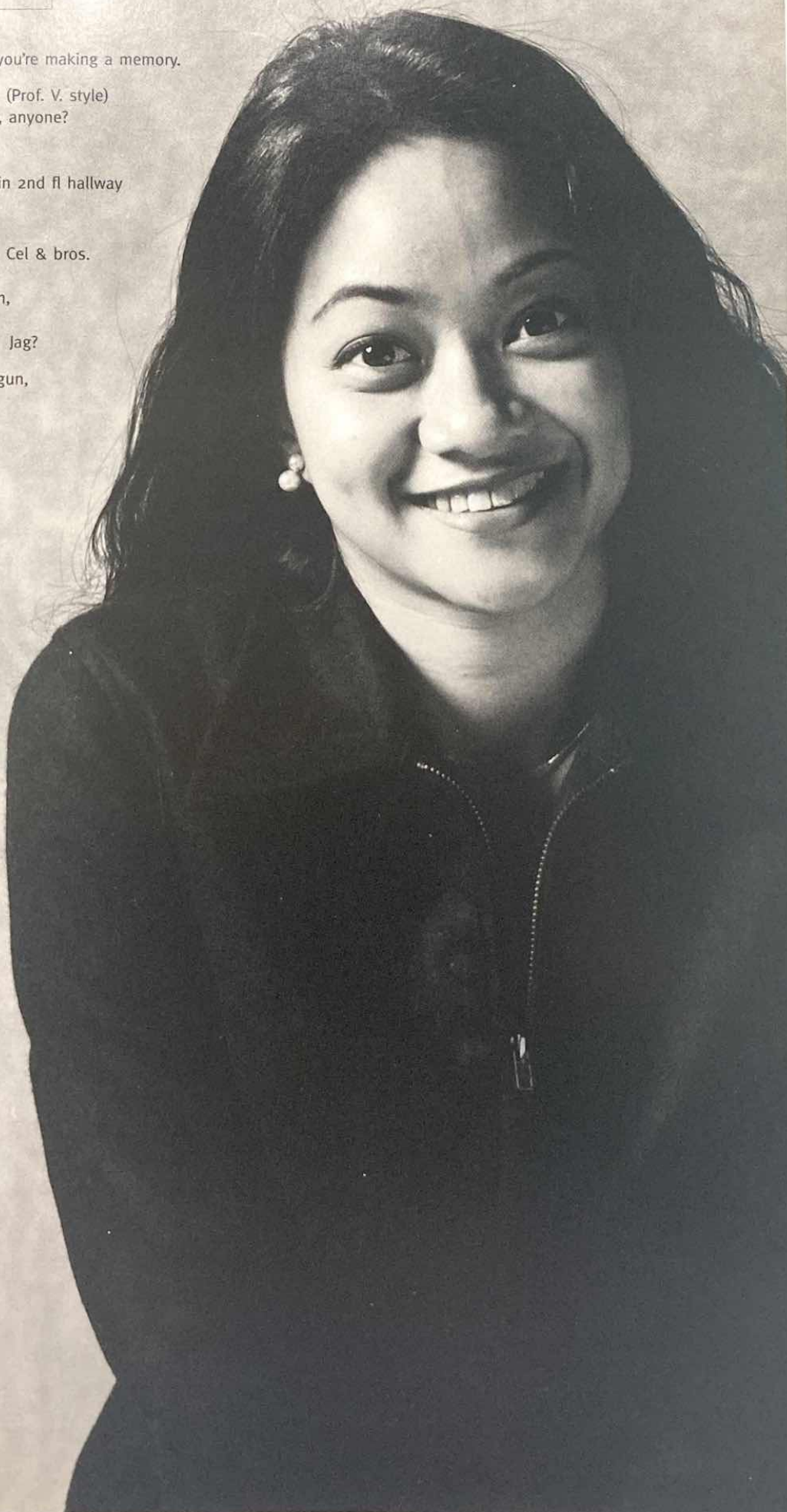
For still... tea & popcorn,

5 min more!

Dico, TY for the advice. Jag?

Real Life years have begun,

Let's get it on...





MARISS MEdnis

Just wanted to thank all those stinky
4th year EEs who spent all those
nights being entertaining in the various
labs that we weren't supposed to be
entertaining all those nights in.

What's fun being cool if you
can't shave your head every
now and again.

Does it really look like I'm falling into
the receptacle?

Cooper has provided me with
knowledge and friends that
I will always remember.

Guy, there's so much to say,
but without you I wouldn't
have made it.

Ah you know...stackline
"...Give me my \$35"

Irene, what can I say?
You were always there for
me when I needed someone,
especially in Canada.
Treeeeeeee!

JCP, you were the first person
I met here and I'm glad we
became friends. Apartment 5
was definitely an experience!
You've lost that loving
feeling..."

To the gang: Mom, Dad,
Craig, Grandma and Grandpa
Thanks for the support!

"It's Thursday night at
Nevada Smith's"

"Ya gotta do whatcha
gotta do"

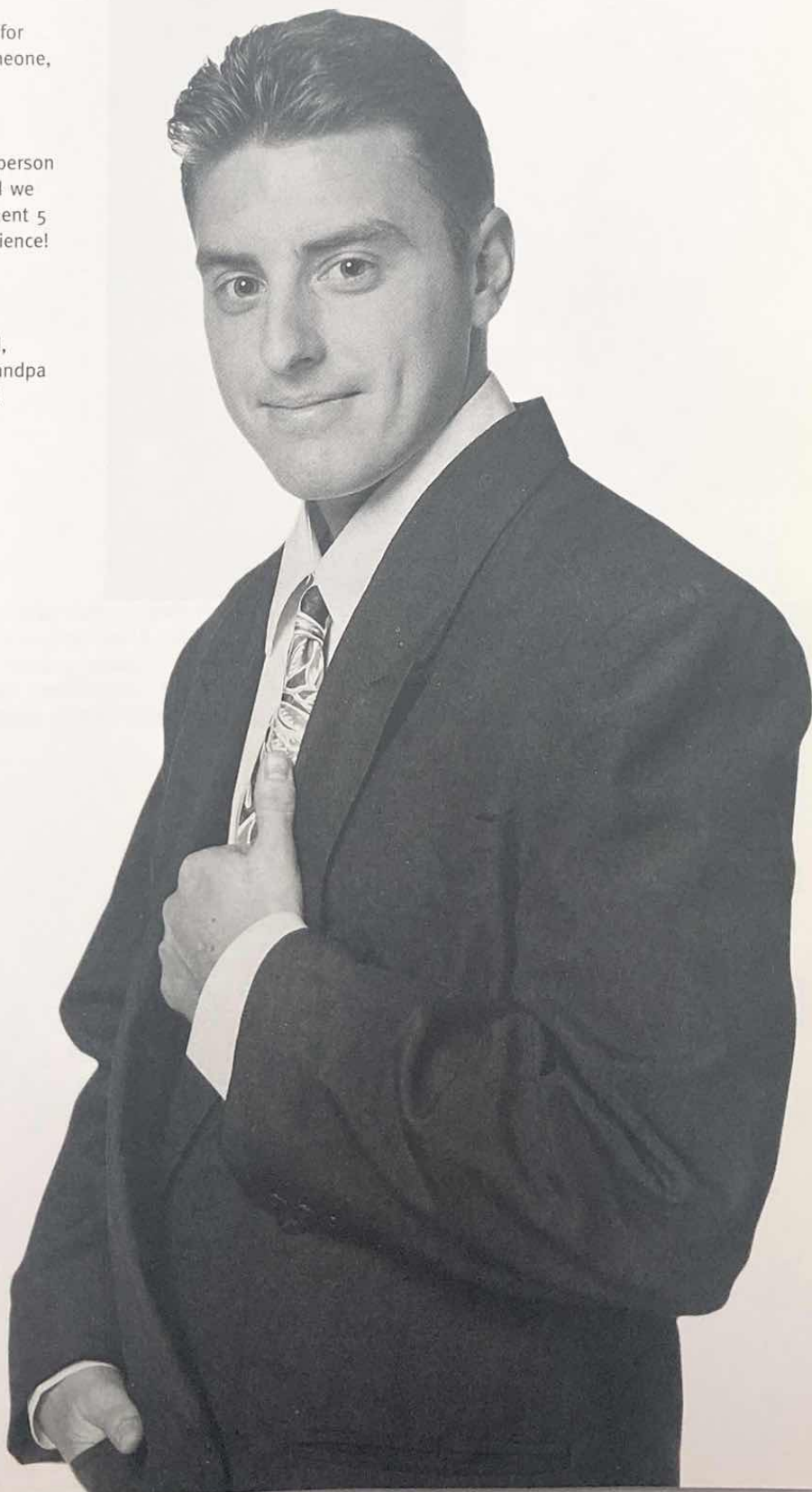
"Wrestlemania 95 in 3C"

"FKI's sausage parm"

"BC rules"

"Sunrise in 16C"

Alfred MEINDL





Lonut Micu

Sometimes you feel like becoming the best engineer in the world, learn the most you can, have fun while at it and keep the "I can take as much as you can throw at me" attitude, even after 2 or 3 years at Cooper.

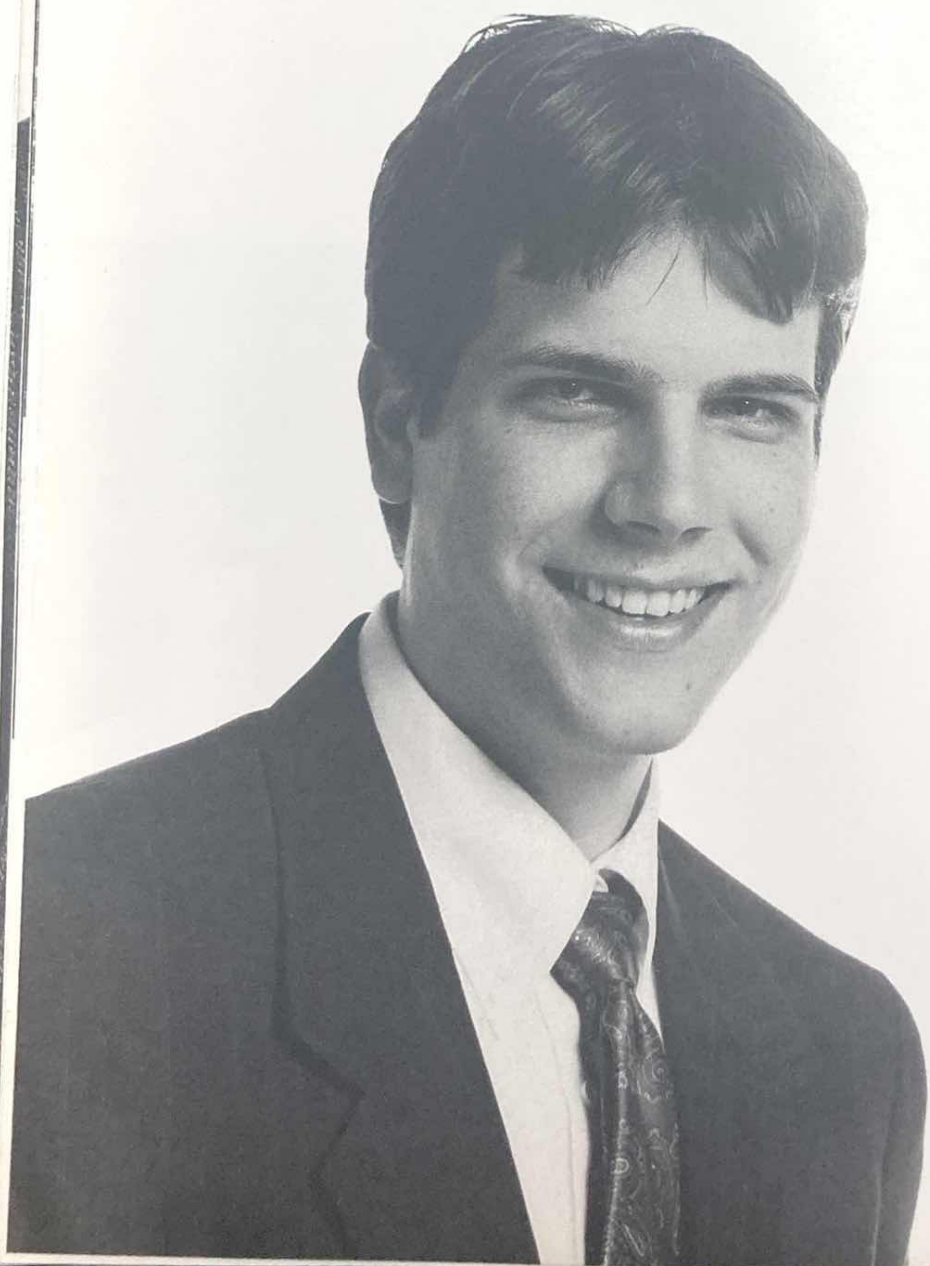
Then, sometimes you DEFINITELY don't.

Thank you sis, mom, dad, and all you Kewl Dewds for helping me through the times when I didn't. It was fun while it lasted.

L o r i Miller

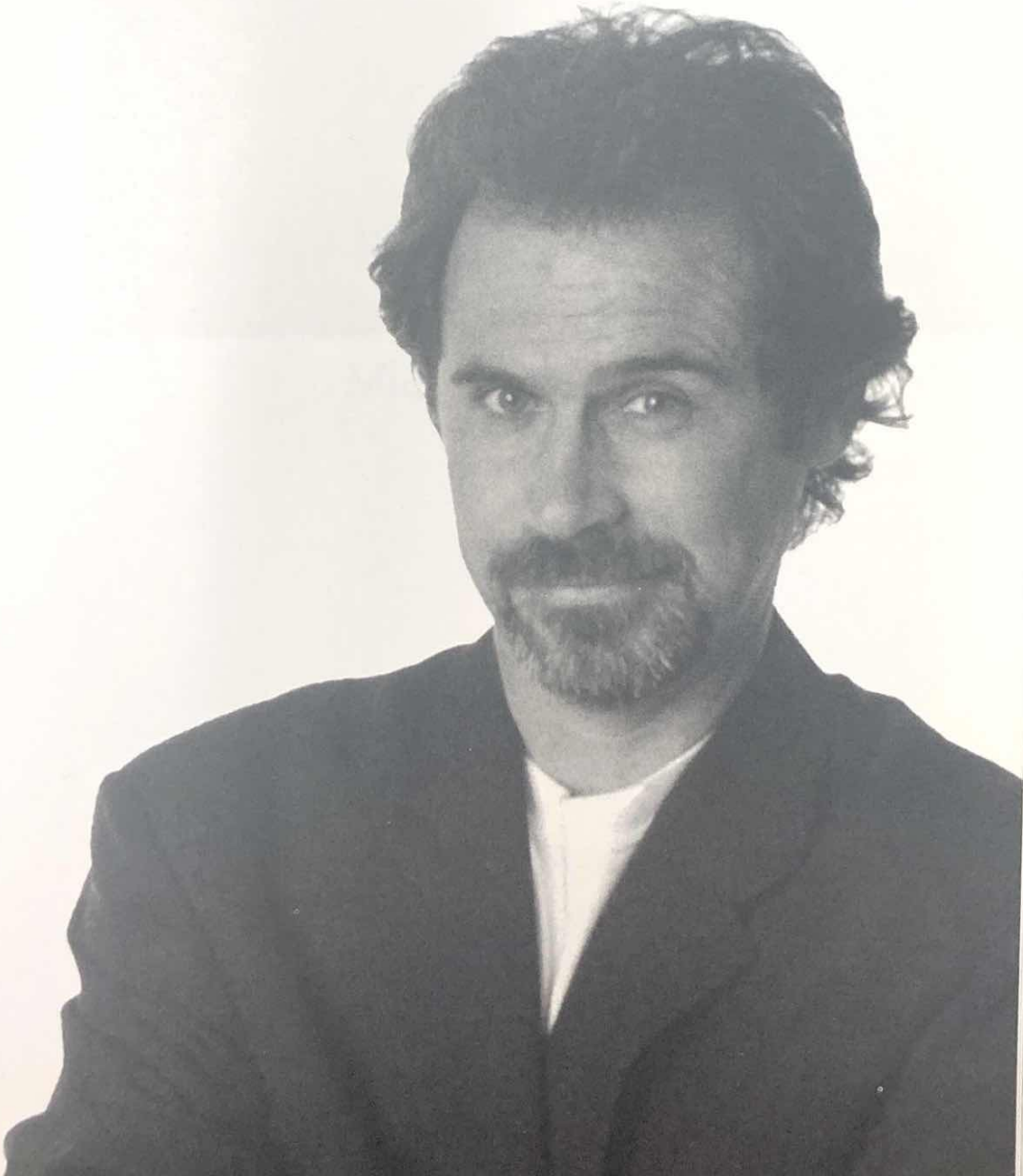
I came to Cooper knowing I did not want to be an engineer. After 4 years, this ChemE turned CE still doesn't want to be an engineer. But I have no regrets. I stuck with it and learned how to learn. I cherish the friendships forged in silliness and eternalized with genuine caringness.





Dennis

Miller

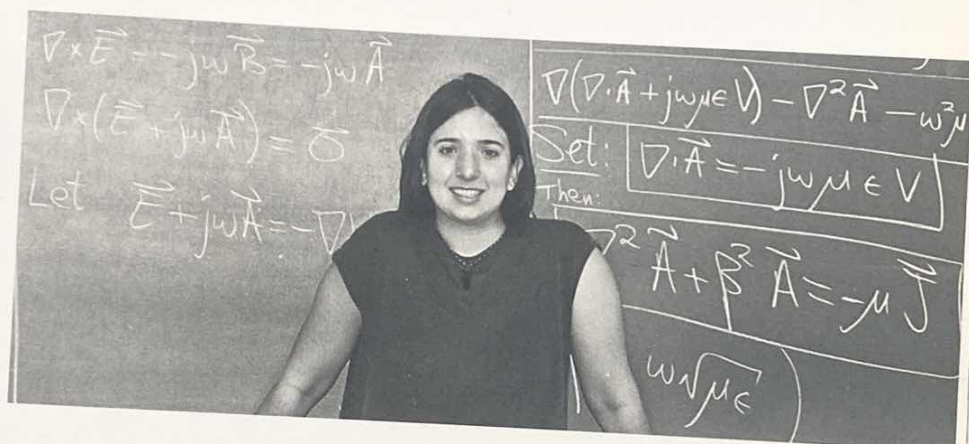


Eoin MILLIGAN



"All life's answers are on TV."

HOMER SIMPSON



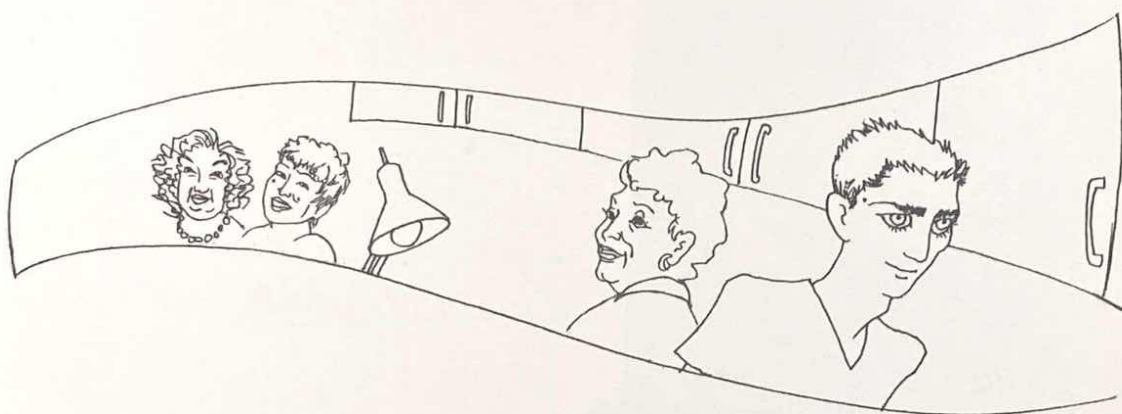
" Well, look... I never claimed to be normal, okay ?! "

PROF. FRED FONTAINE

Michelle JOY Mondragón

Andreas Naughton





MATTHEW **N**ewton

Denise Ng

Your ability to find the silly in the serious will take you far!

Lucky numbers: 24 10 7 36 2 42 13



Akhil NIGAM



Key to success at Cooper: Cut all your classes and only go to the exams.

Few memories:

6:00 am Kondo Exams - "How much garbage can you give me in a day"

"I am here to confuse you - You think you understand but you actually don't"

"afafafafafafafafa "

"Guys, you can't be in a limbo like this... you must fight these things"

"I deliver packages - both upstairs and downstairs"

Dilwale Dulhaniya Le Jayenge - International Cultural Show

To all my friends, you are the reason why the four years at Cooper will be so memorable for the rest of the years to come.

Good luck!!!!

laura normandin



"God loves man: the consuming fire Himself,
the love that made the worlds,
persistent as the artist's love for his work
and despotic as a man's love for a dog, jealous,
inexorable, exacting as love between the sexes."

C.S. LEWIS IN THE PROBLEM OF PAIN

This is the love that I come face to face with every day;
Jesus has indeed irrevocably penetrated my being.
It is in this saving love that I stand.

It has taken me years of struggle,
hard work and research to learn to make one simple gesture,
and I know enough about the art of writing to realize that it would
take as many years of concentrated effort to write one simple,
beautiful sentence.

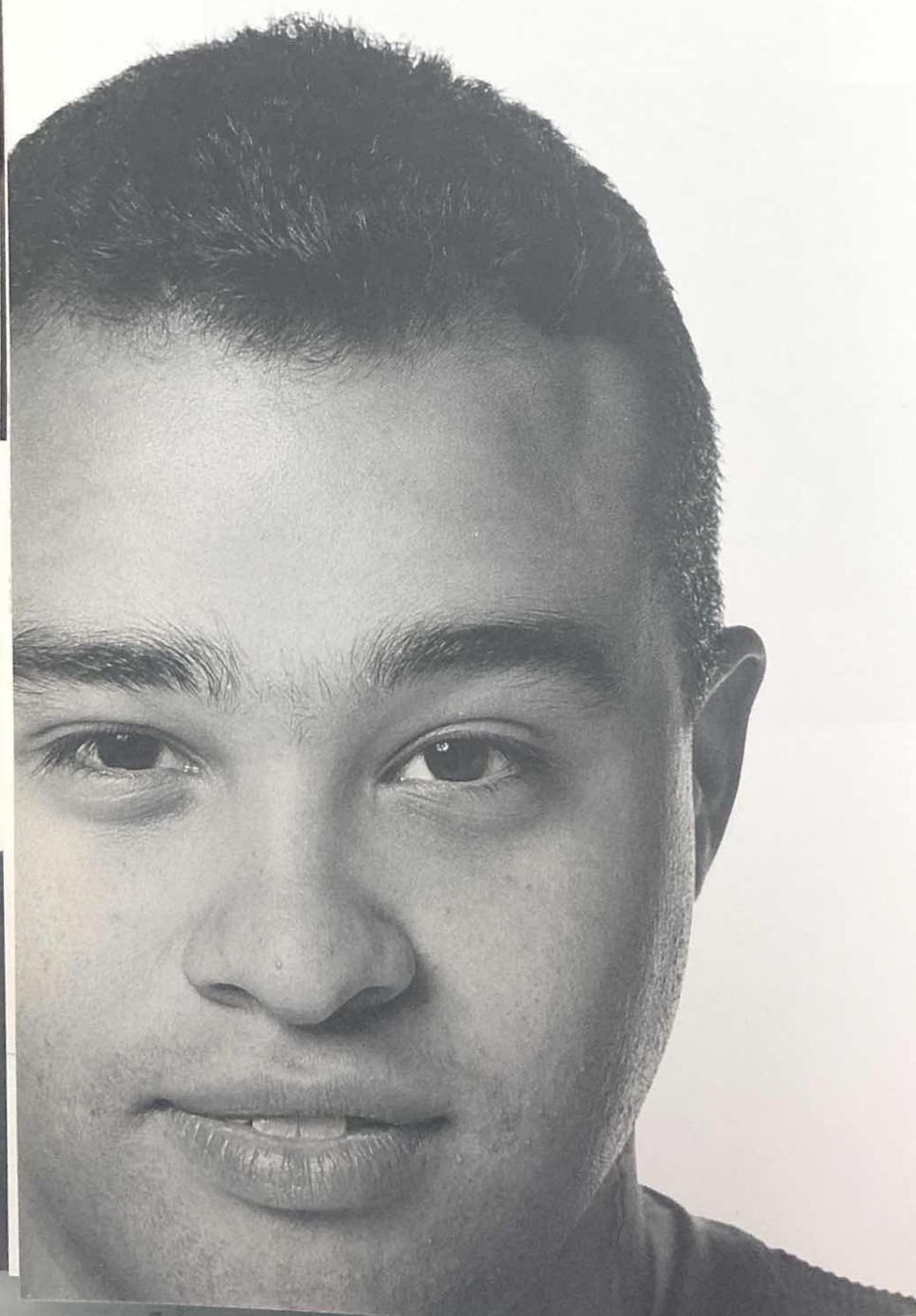


Andreea Oncioiu
Aimee

Miguel Pagan

As far as I know I have never lived a life better than this one.
So why complain.

My advice: Humor never fails. Let laughter be your guide.
Thanks to Cooper I will always be MIGS.





peter paik

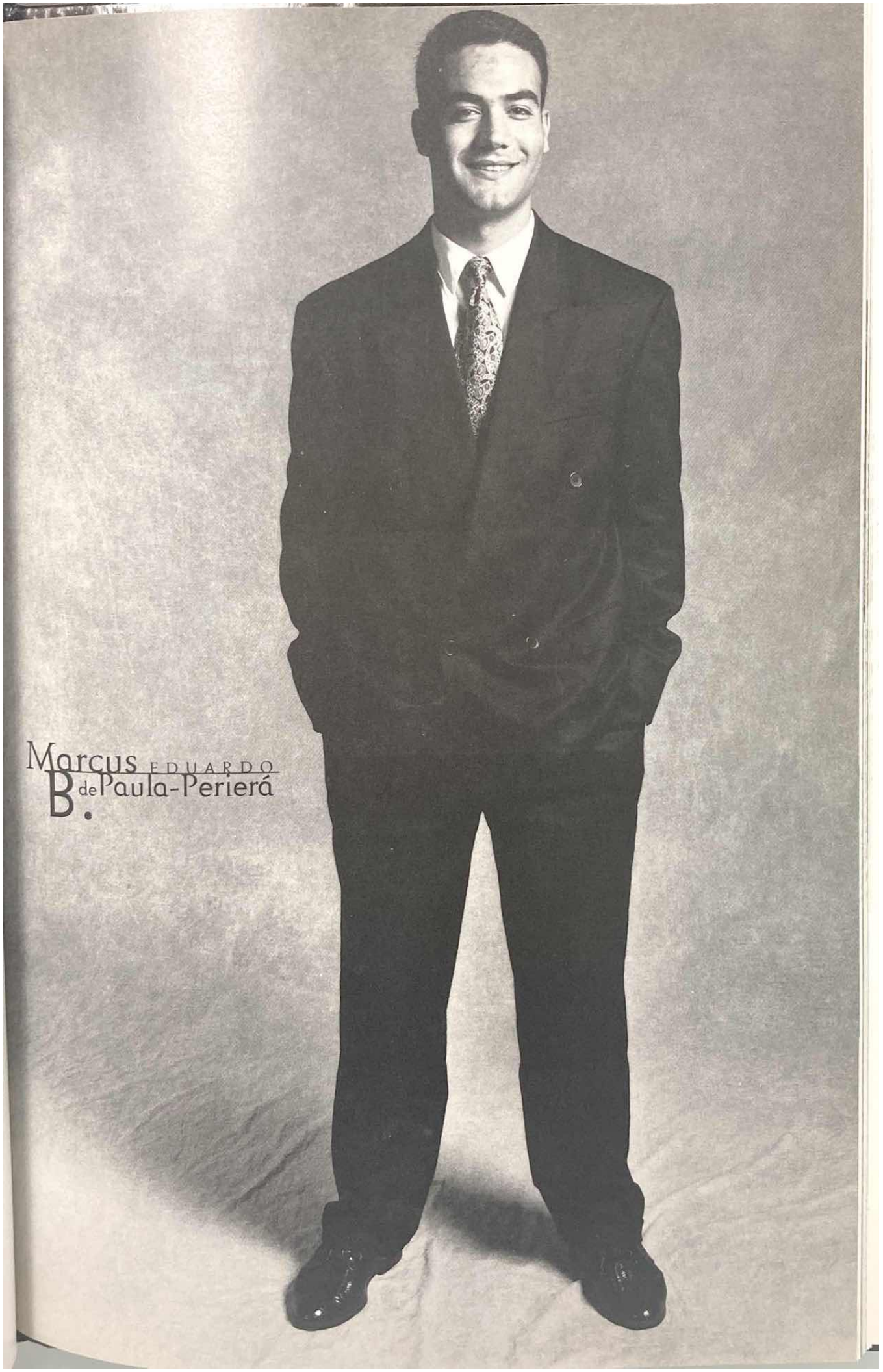
being in a new crowd was good
being in a good crowd was great
and making friends in the crowd was the best

thank you god for choosing cu for me
it has been one of the greatest gifts in my life

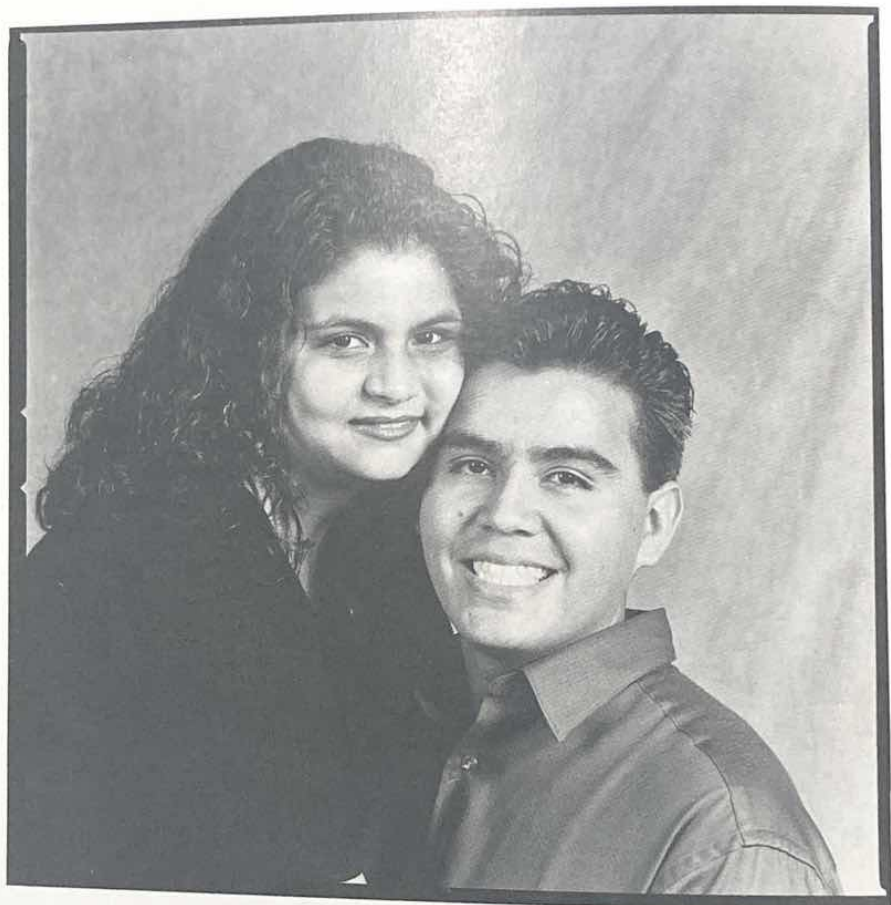
Jiyun Park



departure from orthogonal metal and glass
breathe of lightness
hell's brightest day
outstretched hands to hold beams,
I radiant warmth and sweet wheat smell
so light and distant upon the green grass

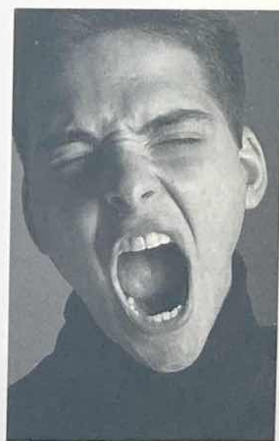
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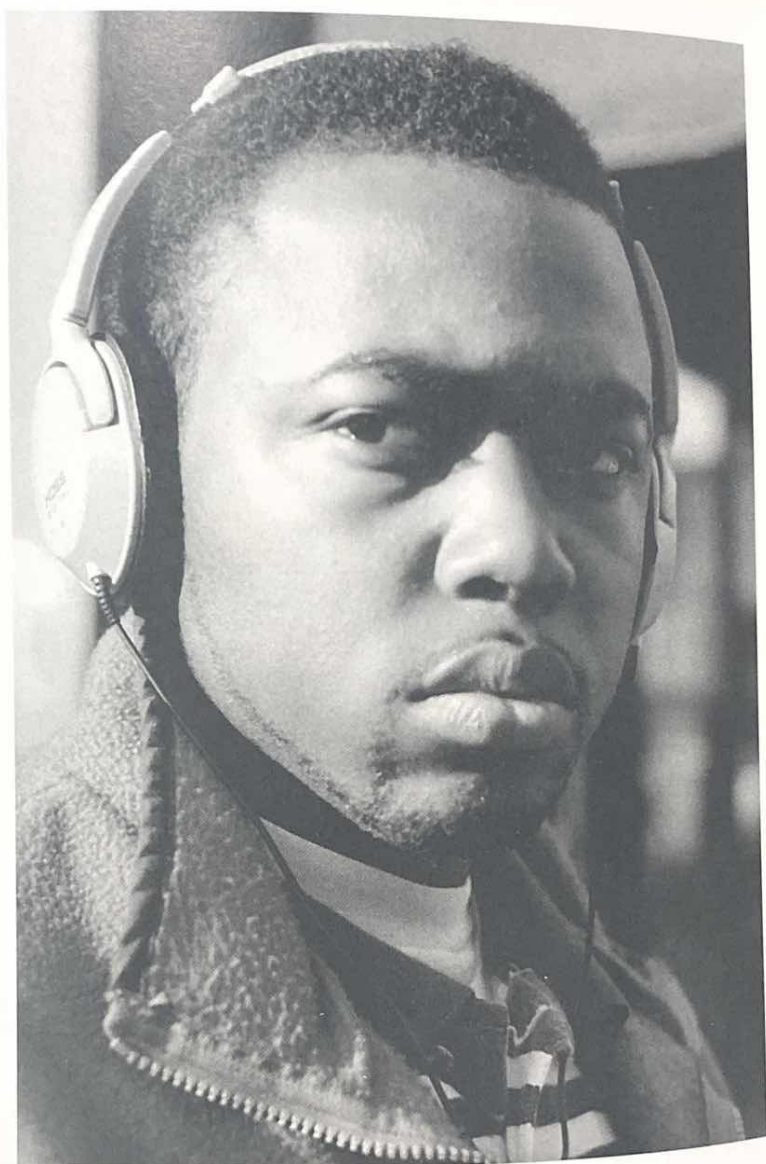
Marcus EDUARDO
B. de Paula-Periera



Diego Peña

JEffrey
plAZza





MYLINDWIN Pierre

I am a man of few words so I'll get straight to the point. Art has been a part of me ever since I can remember and will continue to be so until I come to my end. Now that I've reached my end at Cooper I would like to take this time to thank all of those who took part in aiding me in reach of a higher potential in my life at this institution. On top of it all, I would like to thank my fellow graduating class of '97 for having been on this pleasant journey with me at every step; you know who you are.

Taymour Popal

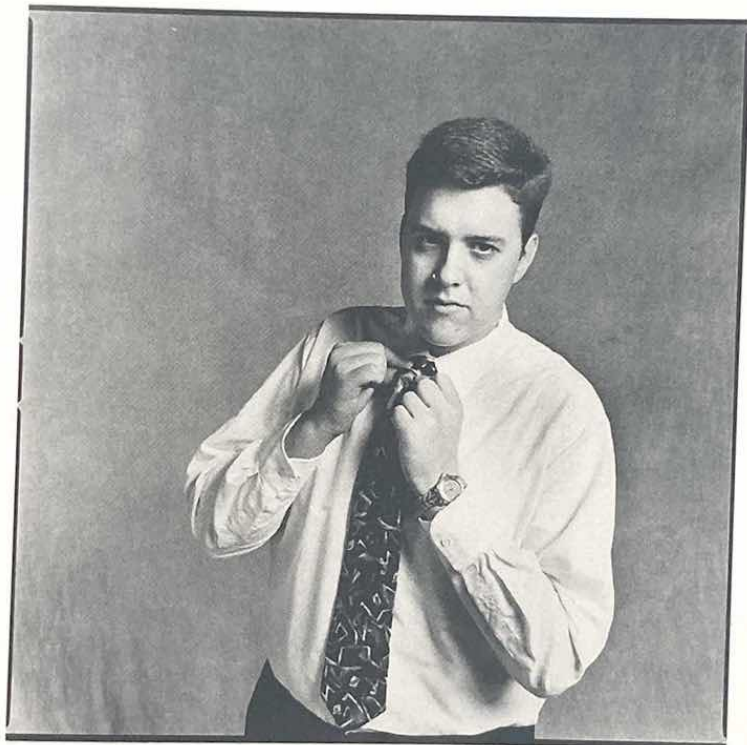


Vikrant Pratap

Let Your Heart
Find The Way To
Create Happiness.



Thomas MICHAEL Putko



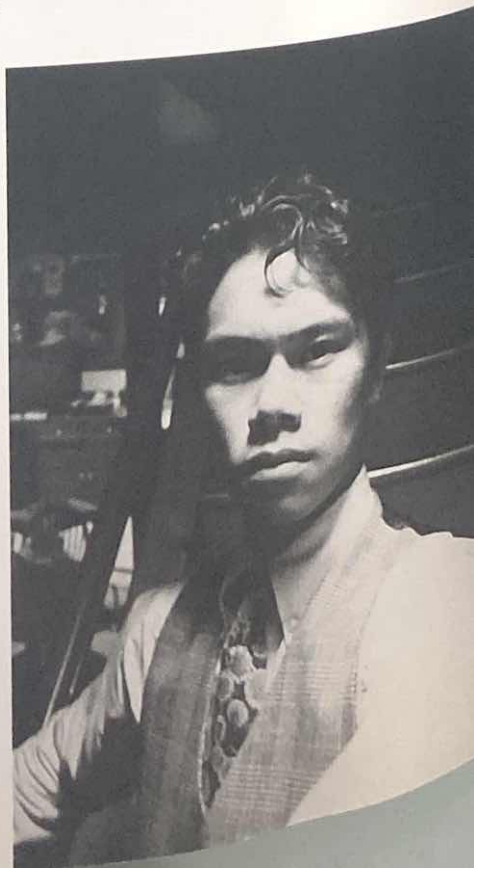
Thank you to all my friends and family!
Spencer, Rob, Ashok, Dave, and Andy: THE CREW!
To My Brothers, remember the letters:
TAU DELTA PHI
Papa, I will always miss and love you, you are
always in my heart

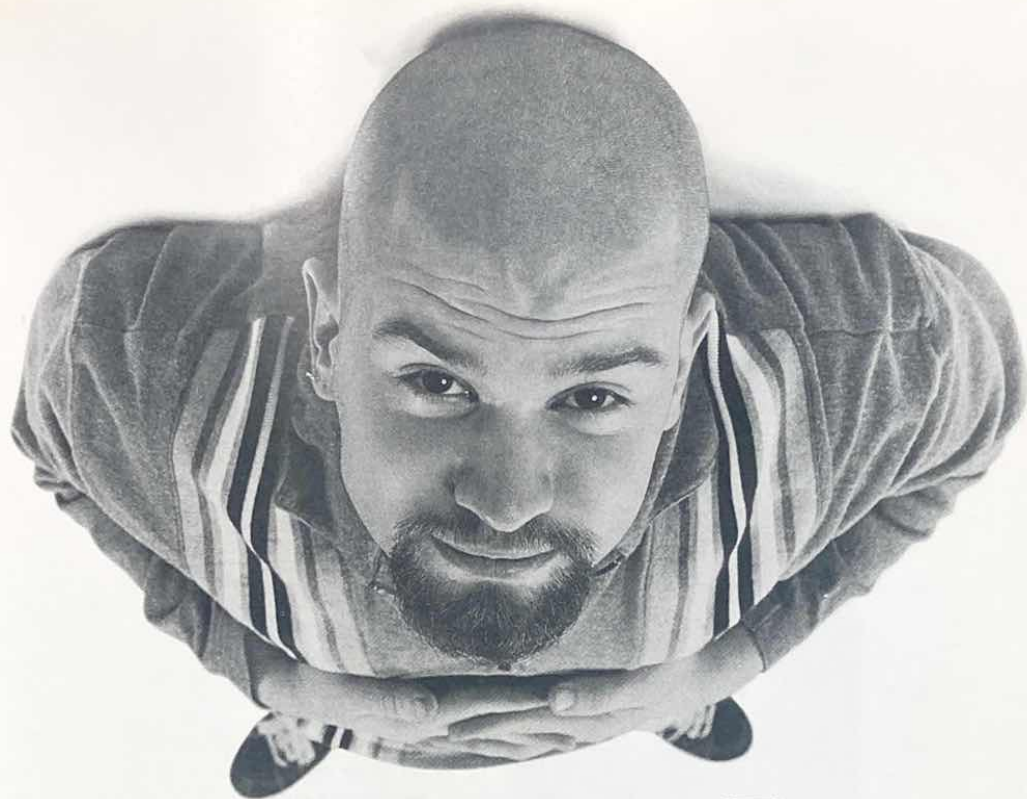
"Life is a series of Hellos and Goodbyes
I'm afraid its time for Goodbye again"

BILLY JOEL

RON **Ranada**

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for,
the conviction of things not seen.
For strength & love- thank u mama & papa, vivien & robine.
my BROTHERS & u who shared in truth & honesty the meaningful things.
u & i know who we r, so let's go.
time to write the rest of our book.
eye ya on the stOOps...





rob Reel



“There’s only now
There’s only here
Give in to love
Or live in fear
No other path
No other way
No day but today”

JONATHAN LARSON, RENT

525,600 x 4 = 2,102,400 minutes.
Minutes of sleep deprivation, toil,
and yes, love.
Thank you Cooper.

Special thanks to Abba, Ima,
Saba, Savta, the Rosenzweigs,
the Villanos, Tina, the CDS, RHPS,
and all those who let me be me.

Elan
RIESER





Theresa **Roach**

Solomon rosenzweig



I came.
I saw.
I played cards.
I drank beer.
I got married.
And then I conquered.

P.S. Thank you to all my friends, and:
NO NO, DON'T USE QUATTRO!!!
S'Alright?....S'Alright.
CLOSE DE DOOR!
~Señor Juences and Pedro



Marleta **ROSS**

The ends justify the means, I think???

Thanks to my fellow Leufrats and munchkins,
Mom, Dad, Marian, Nikia, Kandie, Dean Baker, and especially Tony...
for helping me keep my sanity most of the time
and to focus on the BIG picture.

Oh yeah, G-Man gets the GAS FACE!!!!

Karen^{M.} Sandler

Thank you to the
Cooper Dramatic Society,
Peter Cooper,
and especially,
especially my parents.



GERALDINE Sarmiento





Guy Scala

The years have flown by, and now we've finally made it.

To all the close friends I made here especially Freddy, JCP, Margaret, Shelly: Thanks for making the ride fun and meaningful... every night was an adventure.

Irene, never forget the times we've spent together, it all meant a lot to me.

Always remember the 6th. I'm missing the "silverware".
Love ya, zb!

Eugene Schulman



I've found a wonderful analogy
explaining how we engineers
are affected by our assignments:

Once, Sir Winston Churchill
and a lady got into a
choleric argument at a formal party.

"If I were your wife,
I'd put poison in your tea!"
she muttered acrimoniously.
He furiously replied,

"If I were your husband, I'd drink it!"

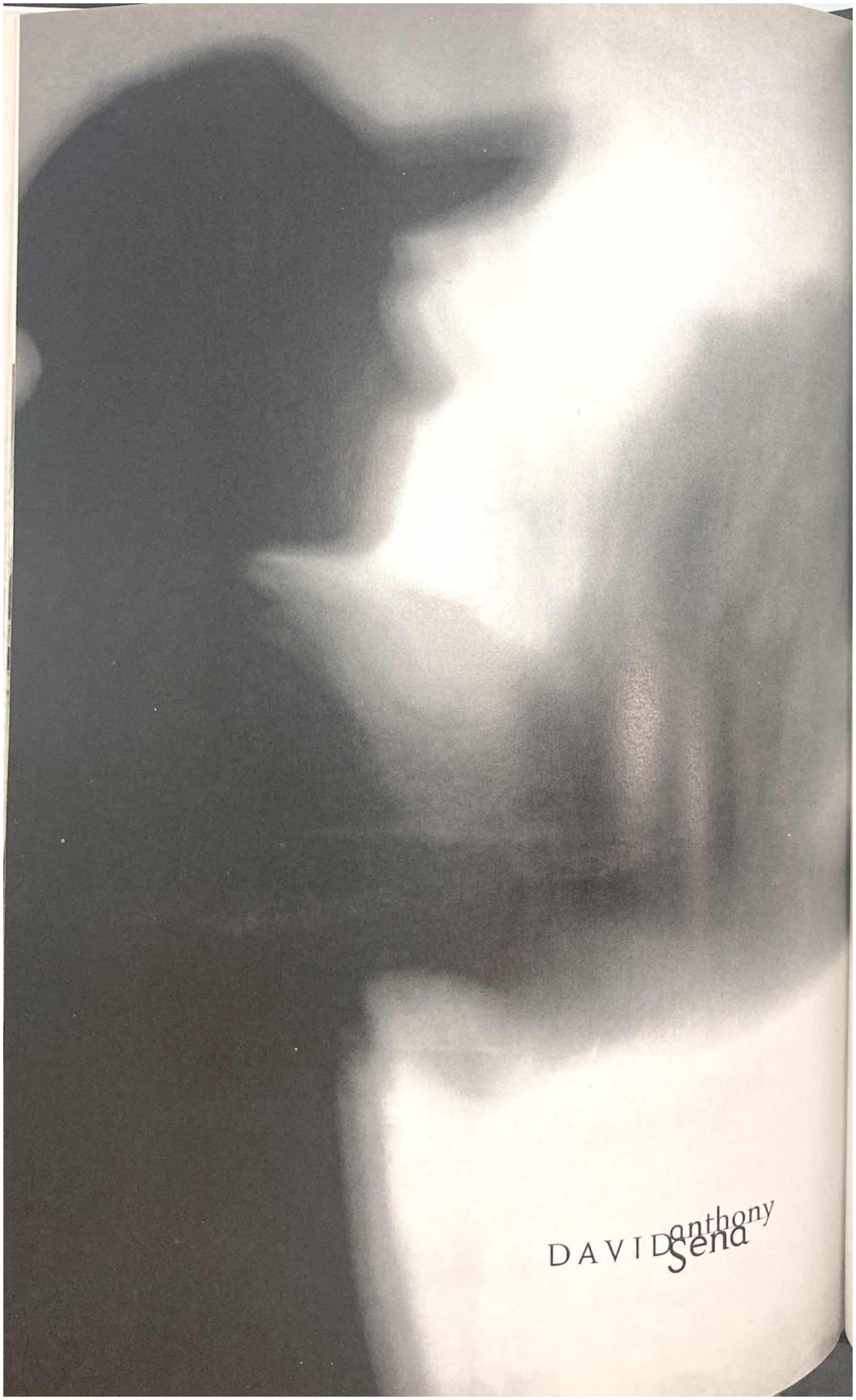
The difference between
a successful person and
others is not a lack of strength,
not a lack of knowledge,
but rather a lack of will

VINCE LOMBARDI

Chris
Semlies

2D - There's only one thing a guy
can do at a time like this - STRUT!
See you at Nevada's!

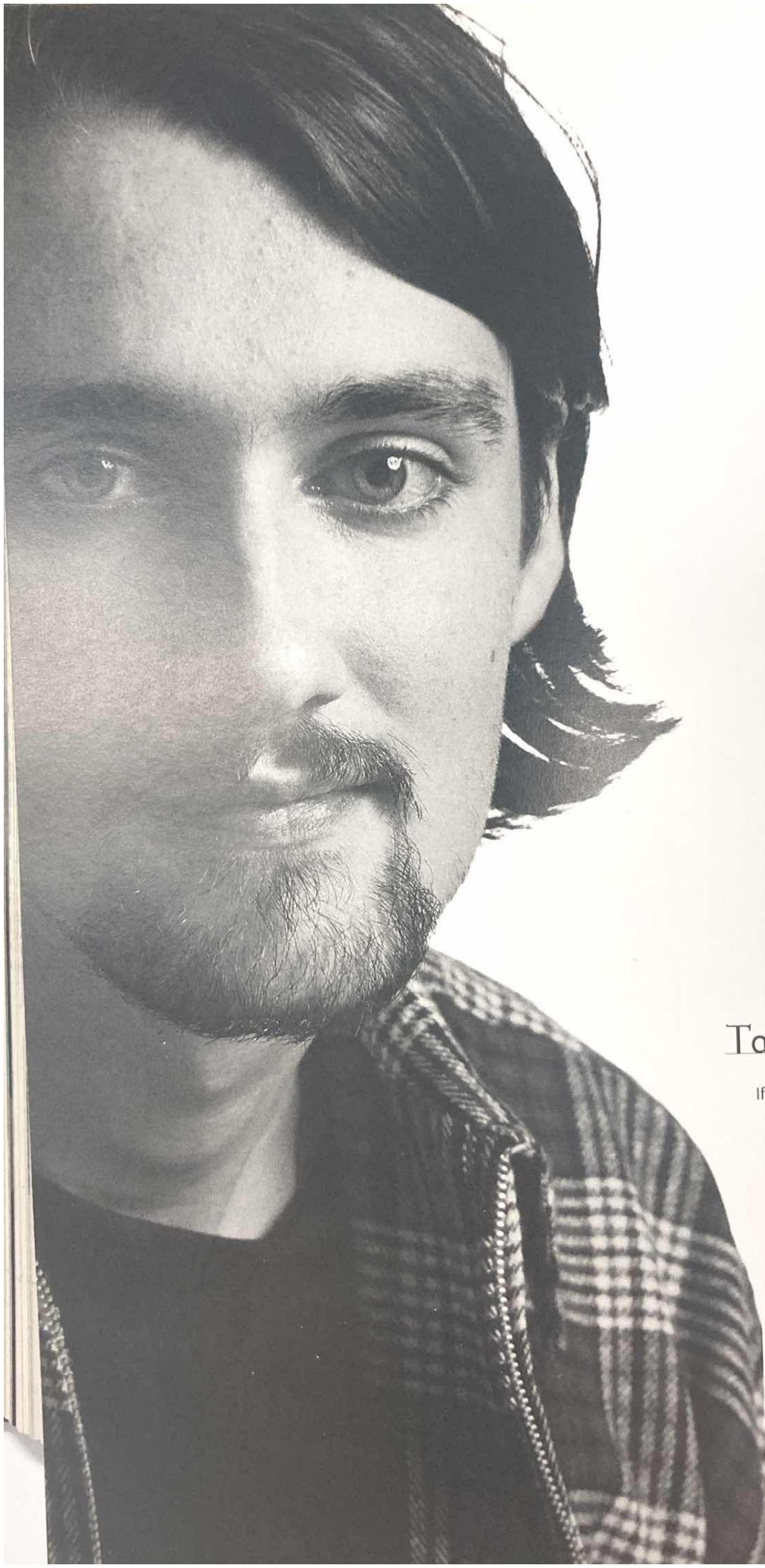




DAVID ^{anthony}
Sena

Cleavon Shen





Taylor Sherman

If grammar school gave us
a rough outline, and high school
a crude form,
then Cooper pared us down to
the essential form... some-
what ruthlessly at times...
although, hopefully, a form
which at times
was allowed to surpass
that rough outline or
transcend that crude
shape's boundaries.
I only have sixty two
characters left before
I hit the quota of 300.

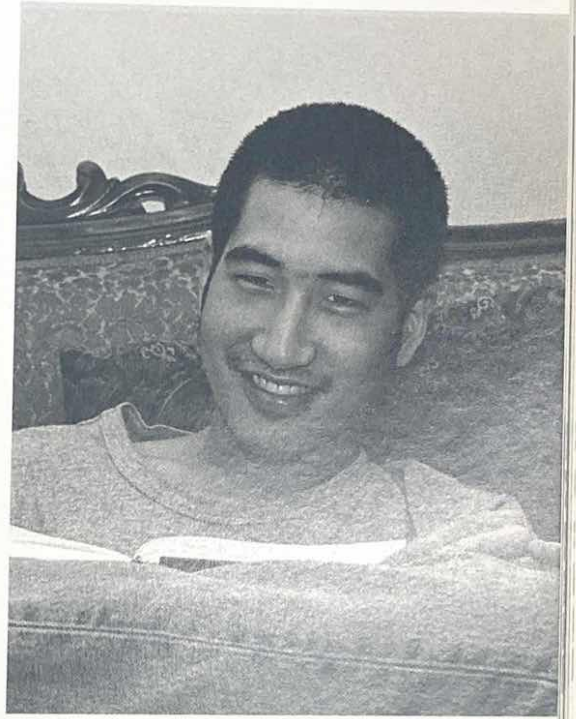
Whoops.

Debra
Solondz

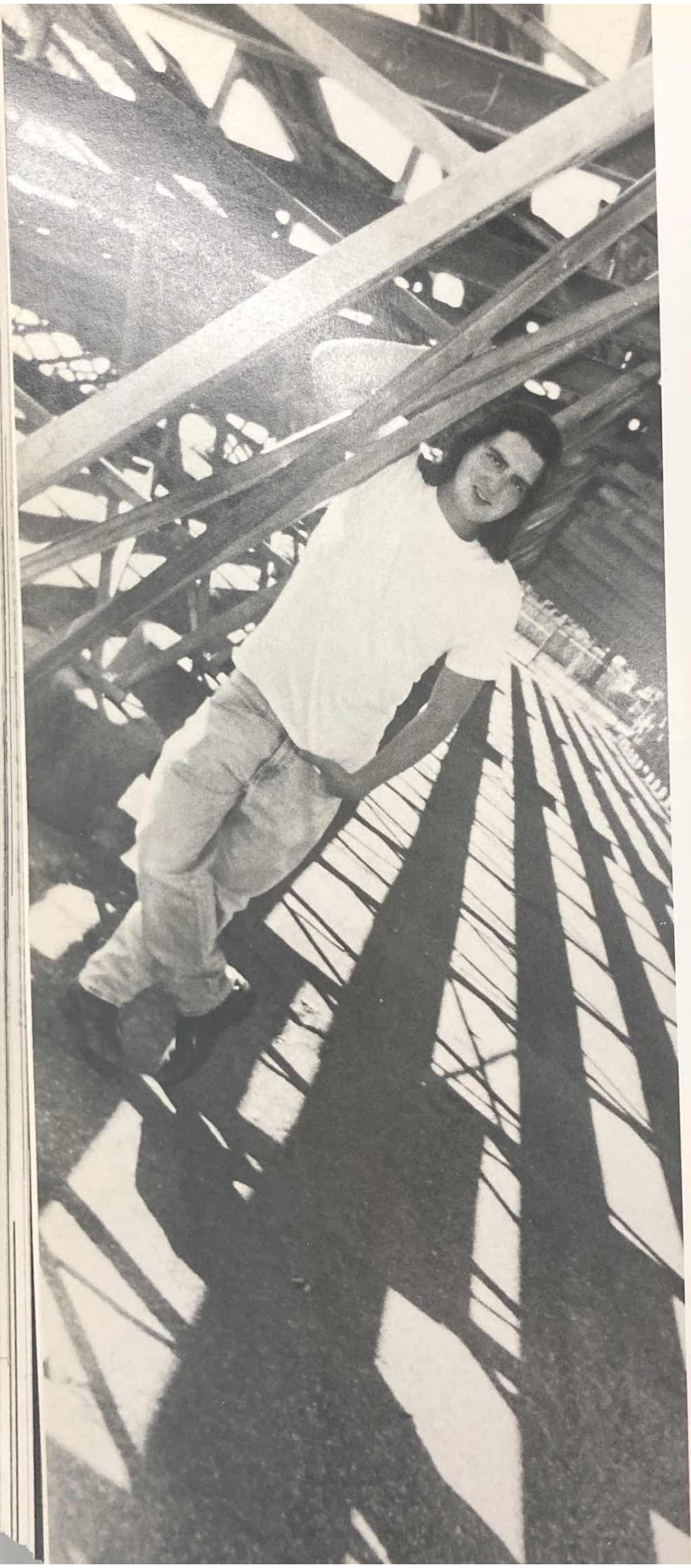




Elizabeth ^{Suttie}_{susan}



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& SUZUKI



Andrew Sweeney

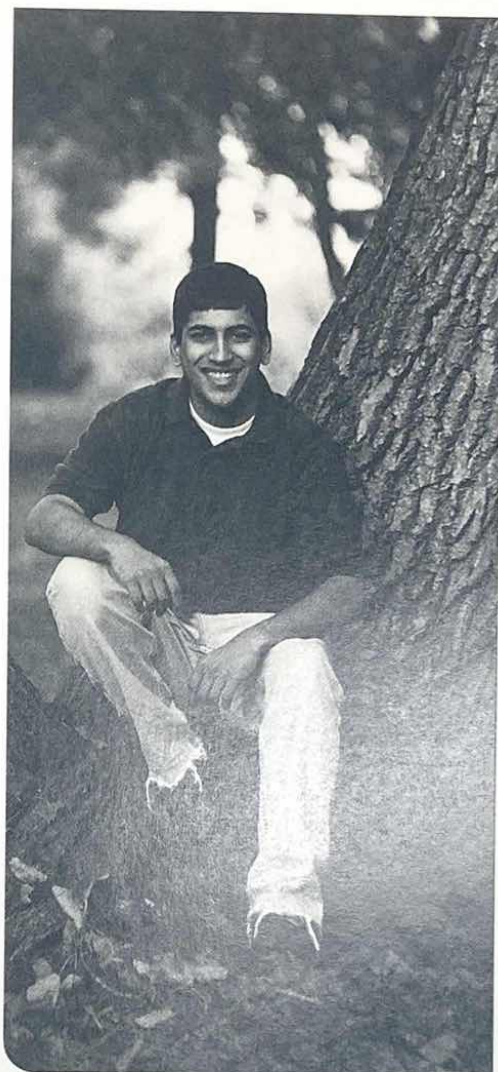
To all the times I forgot.
Cardy's, Spring Joy, and
3:00AM SWE. To cross
country, SAB, phillies,
F - body, black platypus,
sleepy 3 lane change
(thanx Paul), Tom's evil
laugh, that XXX we never
left behind,

you're all blah blah blah—

I'm all school's insurance,
pretend it's that bitches
head, THE END, and Ajit's
half-assed plans. To mom,
dad and to my little baby
coming home...

It is not our part to master all
the tides of the world, but to do
what is in us for the succour of
those years wherein we are set...

GANDALF THE GREY (RK)



NIRAJ Tailor

To everyone that I've worked with over
the past four years, I'd like to say that its
been a pleasure.

Your friendships will not be forgotten.
Good luck and best wishes for future success.

Julian Teachworth
TEACHWORTH





(victoria Tentler)

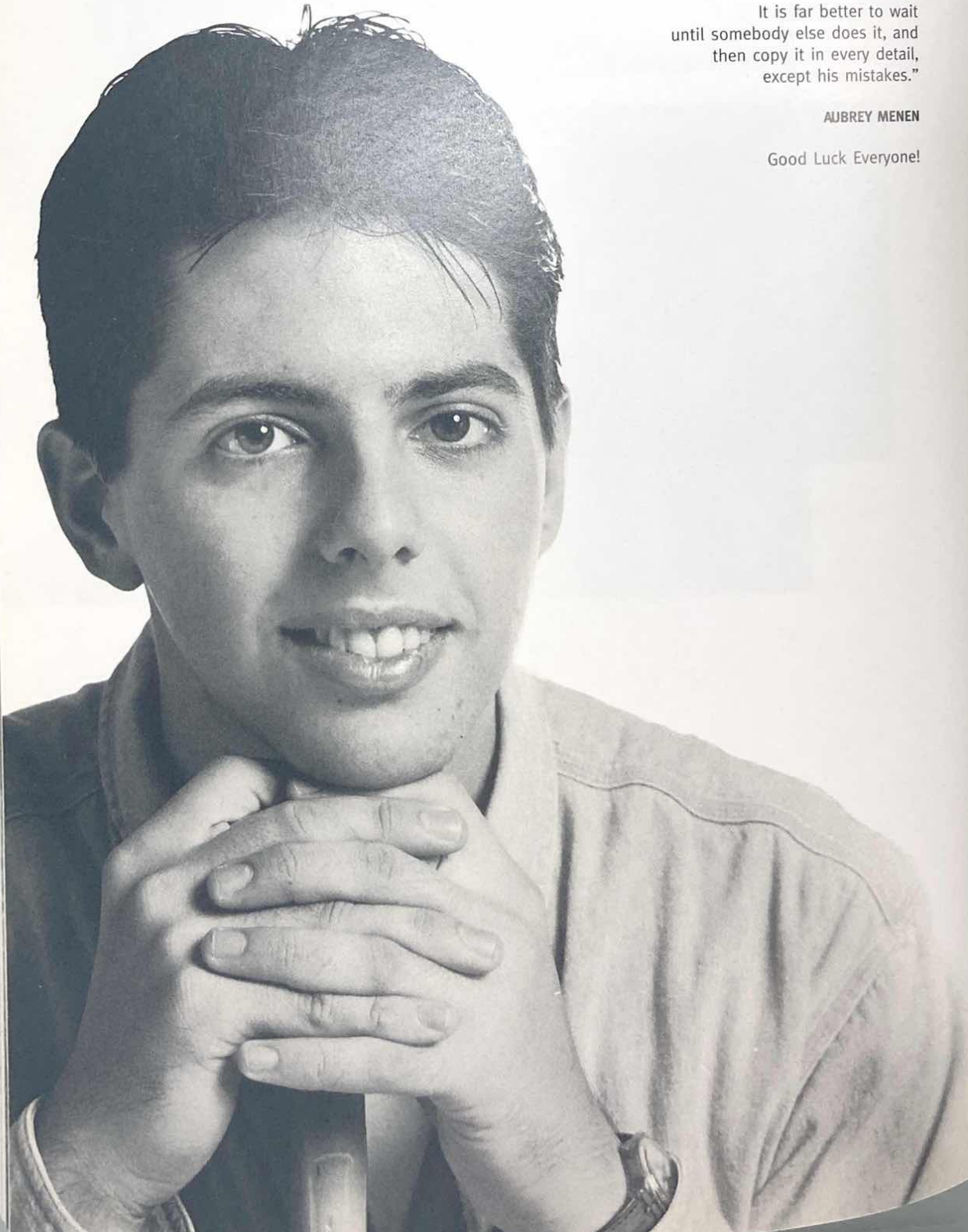
GIUSEPPE TINERVA

"The essence of success is that
it is never necessary to think of
a new idea oneself.

It is far better to wait
until somebody else does it, and
then copy it in every detail,
except his mistakes."

AUBREY MENEN

Good Luck Everyone!





Paul Tortora

My family, thank you for your love,
support and faith in me.

My friends, we've survived Cooper!

May you follow bright paths in the future.

Yanni, Jesse, and Dennis,
thank you for keeping me sane
in the brutal face of Junior ME lab!

All of you have made these the most
enjoyable years of my life.



Diane TOY

How do you measure - Measure a year?
In Daylights - In Sunsets
In Midnights - In Cups Of Coffee
In Inches - In Miles
In Laughter - In Strife

JONATHAN LARSON

RAYMUND Vargas

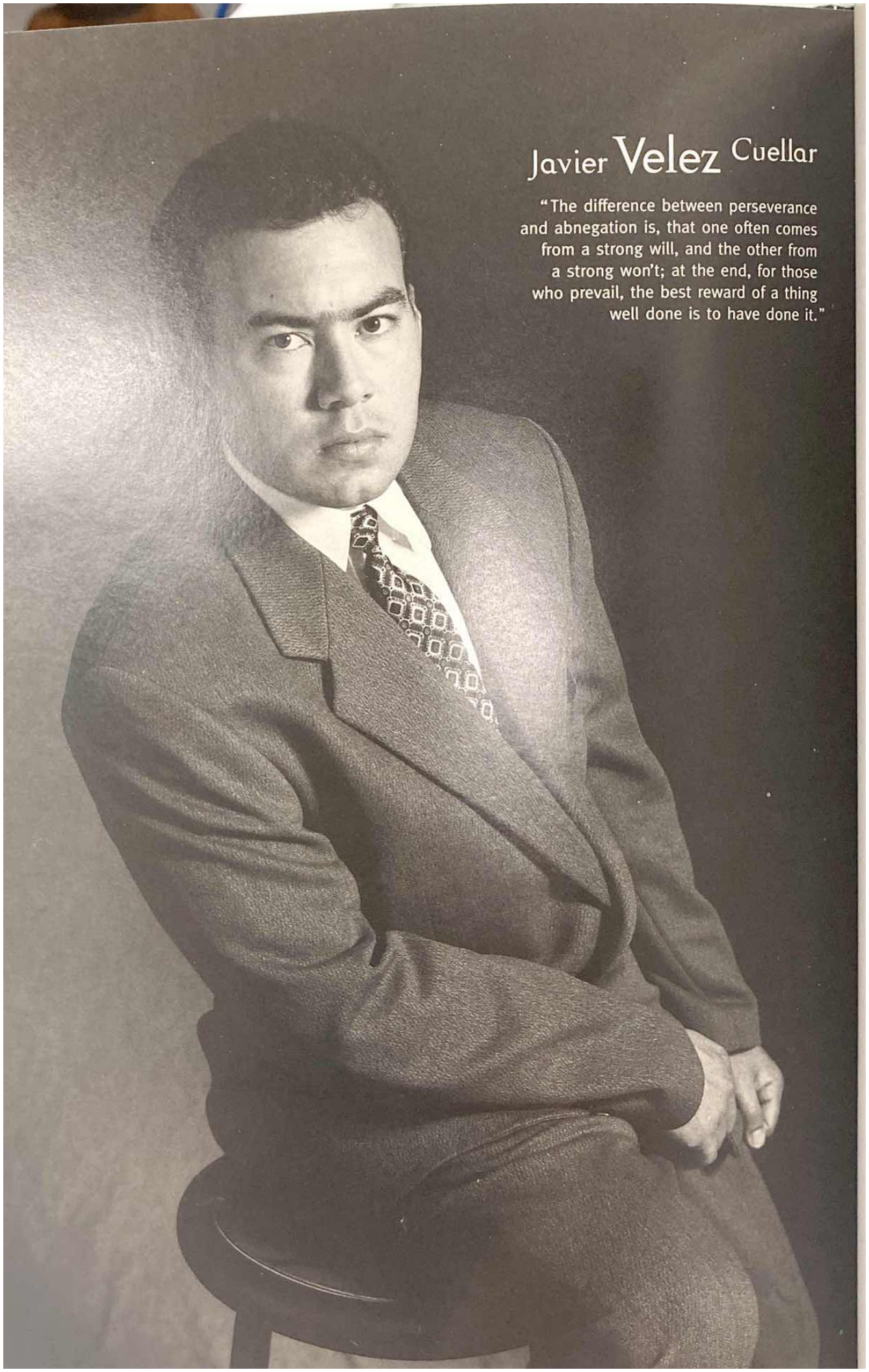


And now good night.
It is time to sleep.
So we will sleep
with our pet Zeep.
Today is gone. Today was fun.
Tomorrow is another one,
Every day, from here to there,
funny things are everywhere.

DR. SEUSS

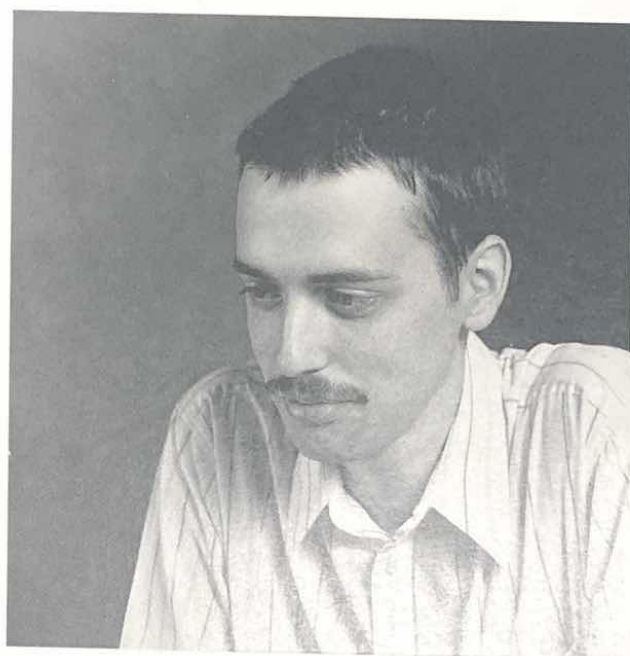
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Javier Velez Cuellar

"The difference between perseverance and abnegation is, that one often comes from a strong will, and the other from a strong won't; at the end, for those who prevail, the best reward of a thing well done is to have done it."



Michael **V**ershinin



Jim S. Villano

The Force is like Duct Tape:
There's a Light side and a Dark side
And binds the Universe together.

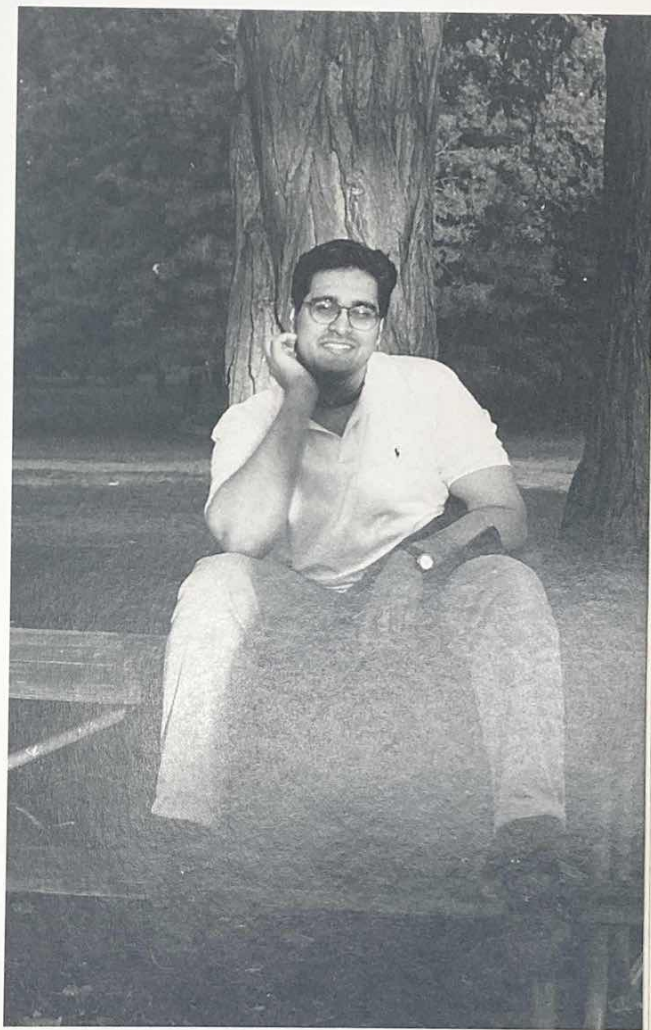
3 Rules to Survive Cooper:
Humor Insanity
Ignore Stupidity
Patronize Bullshit

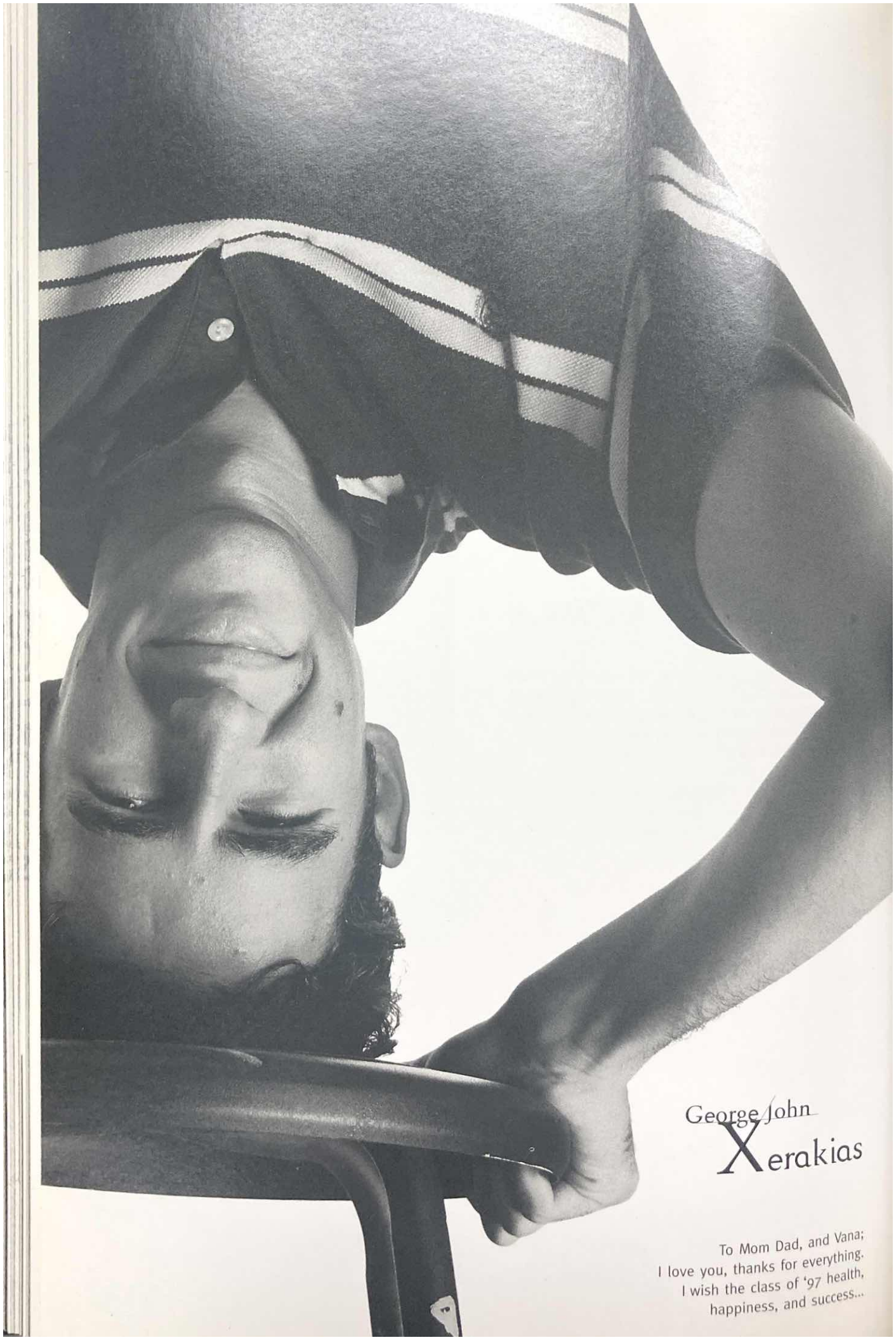
And to all who helped me through:
Fare well. Peace be with you.
And may the forces of evil become
confused on their way to your home.

Ali Waqar

Never wanted to stay up all night studying before the exams, but I had to, and I know I will miss it very soon. It reminds me of what Professor Sandler said, "People don't seem to get enough of what they don't want ..".

I made a lot of friends here and soon I will not have them anymore. Just their memories, sweet ones, will always be with me. Like a family, we were all one.





George John
Xerakias

To Mom Dad, and Vana;
I love you, thanks for everything.
I wish the class of '97 health,
happiness, and success...

sonia Yoon



'Without mysticism, man [or woman]
can achieve nothing great.'

ANDRE GIDE

Thank you to my father in heaven,
my family and to my friends
for a wonderful four years.

Irene Zborovsky



Listen to musn'ts, child
Listen to the don'ts
Listen to shouldn'ts
The impossibles, the won'ts
Listen to the never haves
Then listen close to me—
Anything can happen, child.
Anything can be.

SHEL SILVERSTEIN

To the biggest inspiration in my life...

Dimka, I've always followed in your footsteps and can't wait to walk by your side.
Fedya & Vacya Inc.?

To my Loved-ones (including those who are no longer with me)...

Thank you for your unconditional love, encouragement and patience.

To the one who'll always be dear to me,

It hasn't all been easy, but you're forever in my heart.

Margaret... Tweety, my favorite bunkmate and fellow "fly" watcher, Europe awaits us.

Fred & JCP... "Well, I never!"... yet we learned to conserve water.

Shellybean... "The hair!" Design buddy and magic sparkle girl... I'll never drink tea the same way...

Guy... We've shared so much through these years. I hope you know how precious our friendship is to me. Don't forget lightning in the snow... and much more.



MESAY
Zegeye

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge ...

PROVERBS 1:7

I thank God for giving me the opportunity to be part of Cooper Union. My stay at Cooper has been a wonderful and memorable experience, and it holds a special place in my heart. Finally, I would like to thank my family for their constant moral and financial support.

Congratulations and Good Luck to the Class Of '97.

M. Z.



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